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PLANS FOR LEGION 4TH OF JULY COMPLETED

Final plans for the American Legion Fourth of July Celebration are rapidly rounding into shape and evtrything is about ready for the opening fireworks Wednesday morning.

The program for the entire day has been announced and will start at 8 o'clock Wednesday morning with the discharge of large explosive pieces of fireworks which will scatter American Flags over Sikeston.

At 9:00 o'clock the Drum and Bugle Corps will parade through town and immediately after the celebration at the Fair Grounds will begin. All of the features of a real picnic celebration will be on hand including the hot dogs, merry-go-round, ferris wheel, merry mix up, Minstrel show, etc.

Athlteic events for boys and girls will be on hand at 10:00 o'clock in front of the Grand Stand.

Cash prizes will be given the winners in the various events which include the 100-yard dash, potato race, baseball throw, etc.

Following the athletic events will be another display of daylight fireworks which the members of the Legion promise to be different from anything seen here before this time. And again at 1:00 o'clock, the daylight fireworks display will be resumed.

The baseball game between Sikeston and Cape Girardeau will occupy the center of the stage at 2:00 o'clock and following it, the greased pole climb will be staged with a $5 prize for the dusky lad first reaching the top.

The evening program will begin with all concessions and shows on the midway in full swing. From 7:00 or earlier until 9:00 o'clock the shows, rides and concession stands will bare the brunt of the entertainment and beginning at 9:00 o'clock, Thelma Terry and her play boys will hold forth for one of the biggest dances of the season. This Music Corporation of America orchestra is highly recommended. Miss Terry and her orchestra have played in many of the leading theaters and cafes of the country and have broadcast from many stations.

The big night fireworks will begin at 11 o'clock and from then on the Legion boys advise that one use his own judgment for the entertainment of the rest of the evening.

The Legion celebration should be one of the biggest ever held in Sikeston and present indications are in that direction. There is no other celebration in the immediate vicinity and many visitors from the surrounding towns are expected.

NEGRO WHO ESCAPED FROM STREET GANG IS CAPTURED

Joe Williams, negro, who escaped from Lawrence Ables, street commissioner, while working out a fine on the streets Monday, was captured Tuesday afternoon about 3 o'clock by Chief Walter Kendall and Night Officer Gid Daniels on the Clarence Wyatt farm about six miles northwest of Sikeston.

Williams, who was serving out a sentence on an assault and battery charge was given a preliminary hearing on a charge of theft before Judge Jos. W. Myers Wednesday afternoon and bound over to the State with bond set at $500. He is charged with stealing bedding and other articles from the New Marshall Hotel, where he was employed and also with the theft of a rifle from Charlie Brown, negro cook at the Marshall.

When Chief Kendall and Officer Daniels went to the farm, they found Williams just getting out of bed, the rifle, a high-powered weapon of foreign make, at the head of the bed, was loaded with three shells. He was taken by surprise and did not offer resistance. When questioned about escaping from the street work gang Williams replied, "Well, you couldn't blame me, Mister Walter".

Three calls for teachers were received by the Chillicothe Business College last week, two from business colleges and one for a high school. Other schools recognize the leadership of C. B. C. in business education.

Mrs. J. N. Sheppard entertained with a 12 o'clock dinner Tuesday. Covers were laid for: Mrs. A. H. Reese and Mrs. Andrews of Houston, Texas, Mr. and Mrs. Dave Reese, Miss Freda Reese, Flavy Chambliss, Master Ray Allen Moll of Cairo, Miss Hyacinth Sheppard and J. N. Sheppard.



DRUM AND BUGLE CORPS MAKE SECOND GOOD WILL TOUR

The Sikeston Drum and Bugle Corps was scheduled for the second of its Good Will Tours Thursday evening. Dudley's was the meeting place and the schedule included Bertrand, East Prairie, Anniston and Charleston, in the order mentioned.

The purpose of the tour is for the advertisement of the American Legion Fourth of July Celebration and for the advertisement of Sikeston and the Corps.

A large number accompanied the corps on the recent tour to the west of Sikeston, but because of the unfavorable weather at that time, the number was not as large as was expected to go with the boys Thursday.

Capt. E. T. Wheatley, drum majjor, is out of town and Lyle Malone, commander of the local post, was to have acted in his place.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Welsh drove to Detroit, Michigan the first of the week with Handy Marshall, who has been visiting relatives in Sikeston. Nannabell Wilson accompanied them to Detroit.

IT MIGHT HAVE BEEN WORSE

Right now while the prospects do not look so rosy for the farmers in this section, is a good time for a little old-fashioned optimism and an application of the old saying, "It might have been worse".

We are not so terribly bad off and truly, "it might have been worse". A good part of the crops was drowned out, but another part is left and with a good season it will mature. There is still time to plant 90-day corn, millet, Sudan and sunflower and they are paying crops. Yes, the cutworms might get in the 90-day corn, but there is another old saying about planting an extra grain in the hill for him.

A great many are hit harder than we are and they haven't given up—it's hard to do, but the best remedy is to "grin and bear it".

Services will be held at the Lutheran Church Sunday morning at 10:30 o'clock and Sunday School will be held at 9:45 o'clock. The theme of the sermon will be The Cry of the Lost, "Lord, Lord, Open Unto Us". All are wecome to our services.

Mrs. Don Vowels of Texarkana, Ark., was in The Standard office Wednesday mornnig and said her Standard was a welcome twice-a-week visitor. Mrs. Vowels and daughter and her mother, Mrs. G. W. Ballard, left for Texarkana Wednesday afternoon. They drove through.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Blanton, who have been visiting Mr. Blanton's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Blanton, for two weeks, returned to their home in Atlanta, Ga., Thursday morning. Mr. Blanton will take up his work on The Southern Banker, a trade publication, on their arrival.

OSCEOLA WILL BRING STRONG TEAM SUNDAY

When the Sikeston baseball team meets the team from Osceola, Ark., here at the Fair Grounds Sunday afternoon, they will have some real competition, according to reports from the southern city. Red Mickey, star pitcher for the Osceola team, is a former Southern League player and several other members of the team are professional players.

However, Manager Tom Malone of the Sikeston crew will be ready for the team from the south. He will have practically the same line-up in the field as he had to defeat the Dam 53 team here last Sunday. With that aggregation the Sikeston fans have little to fear.

The reputation of the Sikeston team has traveled and Manager Malone is being virtually flooded with offers for games. Dam 53 will play a return game here July 8 and the following Sunday a game with the strong Caruthersville-Blytheville team has been scheduled. Following the game on July 15, a return weekday game will be played Wednesday, July 18 at Caruthersville.

July 22, the Missouri Pacific Westerners of St. Louis, a strong Boosters team, will play in Sikeston.

Marion and West Frankfort, Ill., have both written Manager Malone for games and will probably be scheduled for late July or early August. Both of these clubs have good teams, many of the players being of the Hard Roads League.

This brace of games and the Fourth of July game here with Cape Girardeau offers a schedule which should prove interesting and the Sikeston fans will not want for real baseball this summer.

In defeating U. S. Dam 53 here Sunday, Sikeston took a step up in baseball. The Cairo Purities defeated Dam 52 Sunday in a close game and Dam 53 is considered a stronger team than 52. The Dam 53 boys were not satisfied with being beaten in the ninth inning as they were by Sikeston Sunday and will come back July 8 with the proverbial "blood in the eye".

YOUTH LEADS OFFICER ON MERRY CHASE BUT IS CAUGHT

Ray Burnett, 19, of St. Louis, who was caught here by Night Officer Gid Daniels with a stolen automobile and other stolen articles Monday night, was returned to St. Louis Thursday morning where he had stolen an automobile.

Young Burnett, when first caught, refused to talk, but told his story to Judge Jos. W. Myers and officer Daniels Tuesday night after a day in jail.

He said that his home had been in Murray, Ky., until about three months ago when the family moved to St. Louis. Monday, he related, he decided to take a tour and drove off in a Chrysler coach belonging to a Mr. Teuck. South of Cape Girardeau he picked up George Mott, another St. Louis youth, who was hiking to Arkansas to see his grandmother. When the pair reached Sikeston Mott wanted to send a telegram and Burnett agreed to wait while the operator was called. However, instead of waiting, Burnett drove off and took with him a suitcase of clothing belonging to Mott. He drove to Boyer's Garage, where in some manner made off with a can of oil and a funnel. He then drove south on No. 61 about three miles, where he drained a highway tractor of gasoline and while there threw the clothing belonging to Mott away.

In the meantimes Mott had informed Officer Daniels of the affair and when Burnett returned to Sikeston, a wild chase over the north and west parts of town started, the officer finally catching the youth in the Chrysler on North Street about 11 o'clock.

An officer from St. Louis arrived Wednesday on the Sunnyland and returned to St. Louis with the youth Thursday morning. The city charge of theft and reckless driving will be held until the St. Louis officers have acted on the youth's case.

Miss Nellie Rankin and Clifton Owens of Hayti visited in Cape Girardeau Tuesday.

Superintendent of Schools Roy V. Ellise, who has just returned from school at Cincinnati, Ohio, has received a card from Clyde Whitmore, the new Sikeston High School coach, who is attending a coaching school at the Kansas State Agricultural College at Manhatten, which is under the direction of Bo McMullin and other great football players.

SIKESTON STANDARD

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TRADE IN SIKESTON

The first of the new "Trade in Sikeston" catalogs, which were printed by The Standard, will be distributed this week. This booklet is attractively covered and is cram full of bargains. It contains advertising from all of the leading stores of Sikeston and is well worth reading and saving for reference.

The copy for the catalog has been slow in coming into the office, the last of it being received last Saturday and the finished product has been rushed since that time.

The advertising displayed in this catalog demonstrates, in a great measure, the progressiveness of Sikeston. Nationally advertised lines are featured by practically every store in Sikeston. Sikeston has more up-to-date stores than any other town of its size in Southeast Missouri.

Located in one of the richest agricultural sections of the Nation, at a logical central distribution point for a large trade area, Sikeston stands out among the progressive towns of the State.

Both railroad and highway facilities make Sikeston unusually attractive for tradesmen. A National North-South highway (No. 61) and a National East-West one (No. 60) intersect in Sikeston.

The tourist and visitor is always welcome here. The hotel accommodations are of the best and the problem of food can be satisfied be it camping supplies or an a La Carte dinner.

The schools of Sikeston are of the best. Modern equipmtnt and modern teaching methods have spread the name of the Sikeston school system.

A belief that Sikeston is on the upward path is exemplified by its building program. At the present time three new business houses are under construction, two others are being completely remodeled and several houses are under construction. Several new buildings have been built during the past year and several other are planned for the future.

A street improvement program is under way, with the paving of a main North-South streets assured and the probability of Kingshighway being re-surfaced. The gravel and dirt streets of the town hav ebeen oiled.

All-in-all, Sikeston is a first class town. Your buying needs can be satisfied here. Boost for Sikeston and TRADE IN SIKESTON.

A huge reception awaited Chet Treece on his arrival in Poplar Bluff Sunday night. The fact that several train loads of delegates for the Houston Convention were there was of little importance. Chet admits that some of the cheers might have been for Mayor Jimmy Walker of New York and his purple pajamas.

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"Marry or Go Crazy" is a newspaper head. "Go Crazy and Marry", would probably be a more fitting one.

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Most people like flowers and to hear the birds sing, and some do not. The editor is one of those who do, though if we could have gotten close enough to a mocking bird that was singing in a tree at our bed room window from midnight until daylight, a few nights ago, we are afraid we would have committed a crime.

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Thelma Terry, who leads the orchestra at the Fair Grounds, July 4, is very handsome according to her photo. She says she wears two pairs of garters, one to hold up her stockings, the other to hold up traffic. Come over, Simon, and let's observe!

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If any of the planks of the Democratic platform had been laying around Sikeston Thursday morning about 5:00 they would have been thoroughly wet.

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There was considerable hell raised around the business blocks of Sikeston Wednesday evening by a great number of boys and girls in cars and trucks ringing bells and screaming at the top of their voices. And this was in the name of religion, too, as they were trying to drum up a crowd for the church.

The keynote speaker at Houston stated the country must get down to the fundamentals if we were to prosper. He might have also said it would be necessary to cut out the fumadiddles.

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The Mr. Freeman who is being sued for $1,000,000 at Tom's River, N. J., is not our Mr. Freeman who has just returned from New Brunswick, Canada, and other points in the East. The suit was over a woman.

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The Standard management are under obligation to Simon Loebe and his assistants of the Charleston Times for helping us out a hole by setting the financial statement of Scott County and other favors.

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When a drouth, we pray for rain; when it rains, we pray for dry weather. Perhaps if we prayed some between time and have sincerity back of the prayers, God would balance the extremes and give us seasonable weather.

Aubrey Kirby of St. Louis is visiting his parents.

Mrs. A. B. Dill is visiting her son in Carbondale, Ill.

Miss Ella Louise Schuppert is visiting with relatives in Carbondale, Illinois.

Fred Schorle is attending a Frigidaire Convention in St. Louis this week-end.

N. I. Kirby and daughter, Ruth, spent the past two weeks visiting in Kentucky.

Paul Gentles of Cairo will arrive in Sikeston Monday to spend his vacation with his mother, Mrs. M. Gentles.

Gilbert Hopper returned to Flint, Mich., Tuesday after a visit here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thodore Hopper.

Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Sexton will leave about the 9th of July for the Ozarks, where they will spend their vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Reese and Mrs. Vance Montgomery and daughter were in Cape Girardeau Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. Roy Johnson entertained with two tables of bridge at the home of her mother, Mrs. Henry Ferrell, on Tuesday evening.

Misses Grace Estes and Amy Allen will return Friday from Camden, Ark., where they have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Sam Brady.

BOWERS RAPS G. O. P IN KEYNOTE SPEECH

Sam Houston Hall, Houston, Texas, June 26.—The Democratic National Convention was thrown into a frenzy of delight here tonight by the opening gun of the campaign, set off by Claude G. Bowers of New York, the temporary chairman.

Addressing millions of silent radio listeners as well as 16,000 noisy persons in the convention hall, the party keynoter brought wild cheers as he pilloried the last two Republican administrations. They had brought "mythical prosperity, mythical economy, mythical facts, mythical figures and mythical men", he said.

Bowers spoke in a hall swimming after a thunderstorm deluge that forced streams of water through every untested crack of the huge arched roof. But discomforts of a leaky roof failed to dampen the roar of applause which greeted his shots.

It was the first real session of the convention, which began with routine today. The delegates were keyed up to applaud the lambasting they knew Bowers would give the party's political enemies. They let go with a vim when he came to the oil scandals, which he said involved the "pillaging of the nation's property"; to the farm situation, "a disgrace to American civilization", he said, and on the "tariff loot" and "paternalistic privilege", in general.

Bowers' battle cry to the party stalwarts, delivered under the flood lights of a night session in the gayly decorated hall, seemed a welcome break in the desperate, though apparently hopeless, battle which the anti-Smith forces are waging in hot hotel rooms to prevent the nomination of the New York Governor for President.

His plea for unity against a common foe seemed to set well with his perspiring but noisy fellow-Democrats on the floor.

In sentences loaded with the shrapnel of irony and invective, the New York Evening World editorial writer called the roll of the scandals of the last two Republican administrations; declared the portion of the farmer had become one of thorns and thistles while other industries fattened on tariffs and subsidies; asserted that "the plunder bund of the power monopoly" was threatening to tighten its grip on public utilities; described the Coolidge policy in Latin America as "dollar diplomacy", conducted in the interest of American business; accused the party in power of having sent "bureaucratic agents swarming over the land like the locusts of Egypt", and warned his fellow-Democrats that the Republicans now were seeking to "drug the conscience of the nation with the doped soothing syrup of a fake prosperity".

"We want to know what prosperity they mean", he said. "They point to a few powerful corporations enjoying the pap of paternatistic privilege and our answer is that you cannot judge that prosperity of a people by the earnings of a privileged monopoly.

"Four million jobless men is not prosperity; a million abandoned farms is not prosperity; the utter ruin of the basic industry of America is not prosperity; the failure of 4000 banks in the seven years of normalcy is not prosperity; the failure of 23,146 commercial houses in 1927 is not prosperity.

"Do they offer us their claim of the payment of $8,000,000,000, of the public debt up to July of last year? Our answer is that six and a third billion of this amount was paid with the money of the cash assets of the Wilson administration.

"Do they offer us their records of economy? Our answer is that with the elimination of the interest on war debts, the last three years of this regime has cost the people more than four and a quarter billion more than the last three peace years of the Wilson administration.

"Mythical prosperity, mythical economy, mythical facts, mythical figures and mythical men—the last eight years may well be treated by the historian of the far future as the mythical age of American history".

The keynoter directed his accusations repeatedly at Secretary Mellon, whom he described as a disciple of Hamilton and the direct personal beneficiary of governmental policies which the Republicans were now refusing to extend to the farmer. In tracing out the Vetreans' Bureau, Daugherty and Teapot Dome scandals, he recounted how "Will Hays had sought to turn over the Sinclair bonds to Mellon, who he said "made no protest against the party taking its share out of the pot filled by the pillaging of the nation's property".

Declaring that at Kansas City it was Hamilton and not Lincoln to whom the Republican party bowed in homage, Bowres added that 'it could hardly keeps the Lincoln mask on its face and Sinclair's money in its chest". He wound up a detailed denunciation of centralized authority in government and finance with this prediction:

"Give the plunder bund but eight years more of such governmental co-operation and a combination of power companies will put a few men in control of the public utilities of a mighty empire. * * * Once in possession and entrenched, the plunder bund of hte power monopoly cannot be dislodged by the fighting force of a dozen Andrew Jacksons".

The speaker described the farm situation as a disgrace to American civilization.

"And what does the ruling caste say to this?" he asked. "It calls it 'temporary depression'. And what does it propose? It proposes that the farmers shall become better business men.

"Now when it suits the pleasure of the privileged to legislate money into its coffers, it is applauded by the claquers as patriotic statesmanship; but when the farmer demands his share in the unhappy game of paternalism they denounce him as a radical and a crank.

"One day the head of the State, by a scratch of the pen, increased the tariff loot of the pig-iron industry by 50 per cent; and the next day he delivered a homily to the farmers on the wickedness of expecting profit from a governmental act.

"We do not ask patenralistic privilege for the farmer, but we do demand that the hand of privilege shall be taken out of the farmers' pockets, an doff the farmers' throat."

Bowers appealed to the history of the Jackson and Wilson administrations to refute any charge that Democratic presidents are enemies of busniess, but added that by "business" the Democracy meant small business as well as large, while the Republicans thought only of the powerful.

"We are interested in the babits", he said, "and they in the bulls and bears".

Harold Hebbeler of Cape Girardeau was a Sikeston visitor Wednesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Morrison and family returned Monday from points in Kentucky.

Mrs. A. H. Reese and Mrs. J. R, Andrews and babe will return to their home in Houston, Texas Sunday, after a visit in this city with relatives and friends.

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A $60 1928 Model

WESTMINSTER BICYCLE

To Some Boy or Girl With Each 50c Purchase of

Shoe Repairing

or

Merchandise

We will give a ticket which is good on the bicycle which we will give away absolutely free

SATURDAY, AUGUST 4th

Watch our window for bicycle

Heuer's Sample Shoe Store

McCoy-Tanner Building SIKESTON

NEARL TWO INCHES OF RAIN HERE THURS.

Nearly two inches of rain falling on the already water-soaked soil in the Sikeston District between 5:00 nad 7:00 o'clock Thursday morning further damaged crops here, which were not in good condition, to an extent which has not yet been determined.

The official rainfall for Sikeston was 1.96 inches between 7 a. m. Wednesday and 7 a. m. Thursday, according to G. R. Fisher, local government recorder. Practically all of this rain fell between 5 and 7 o'clock Thursday morning. This brings the total rainfall for Sikeston for the month of June to 15.2 inches.

High wind and a small amount of hail accompanied the rain in the vicinity of Salcedo about 5 o'clock Thursday morning and damaged property with a loss of several thousand dollars. The house of Sherman Truly was blown from its foundation, Walter Hutchinson lost several small buildings and Joe Matthews lost a barn. Several buildings belonging to J. W. Baker, Sr. and J. W. Baker, Jr., were damaged and several were destroyed. Ben Hahn, who lives a mile north of Rootwad said that the hail was very light, but that the rain there was one of the heaviest he had seen for the short space of time.

Crop conditions here previous to the rain Thursday morning were not good but many more acres are now lost than before.

The roads throughout this section are passable but Highway 61 was temporarily blocked Thursday morning when the water became deep across the road.

The Sikeston-New Madrid detour has been made weather-proof and is in passable condition. There was water in the road in several places Thursday morning, but the traffic was going through.

The heaviest rain was to the north and west no heavy rain extending as far south as New Madrid. Rain which started in Cape Girardeau Wednesday night continued most of Thursday. An eight inch rain was reported at Bell City and reports show that the rain was general throughout the section except to the south.

Mrs. Ray Oliver and son are spending a few days in Dexter.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Hebbeler of New Haven, Mo., Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Williams of St. Louis and Mrs. H. A. Myers of Hollington, Texas are the guests of Charles Hebbeler.

Notice To All Citizens
From Sikeston Board of Health

The recent heavy rains have caused many places to become filled with stagnant water, and in many places this water contains overflow from toilets and cesspools. As this water dries up all the filth it contains will be left scattered on the ground.

This condition will cause an epidemic of sickness unless all premises are thoroughly cleaned and disinfected.

Cut all weeds on your premises or the city will have it done at your expense. Rake your yards and gardens so that they will be free of all trash, which should be burned or hauled away as soon as possible. Do not delay in giving your premises a good clean-up.

Scatter lime freely about toilets and cesspools and wherever water has stood for any length of time.

Pour kerosene or other oil over any water that is standing near your place to prevent breeding of mosquitoes.

Do not let children wade in standing water, as all standing water is filthy.

Get water out of basements as soon as possible and air out your homes and places of work.

Be sure your homes are well screened in order to guard against flies.

Place all garbage in tight containers until it can be burned or hauled away.

All places of business selling or serving food must keep their places thoroughly sanitary and not allow garbage to accumulate about their places, or such places will be closed. This is imperative.

Let us all cooperate to keep our town a healthful place in which to live.

Sikeston Board of Health

N. E. FUCHS, Mayor DR. G. W. PRESNELL, City Physician

SPECIALS

SATURDAY, June 30

Full Fashioned Hose, per pair 89c
Glass Water Pitcher - - 15c

We Also Have Music Free

Champion Records - - 35c
3 FOR $1.00
Bathing Caps - - - 10c

PEEK'S VARIETY
5c AND 10c STORE



GREENER'S

The Economy Center of Sikeston—Service With a Smile

BECK BUILDING **FRONT STREET**



5 BIG ROLLS OF TOILET PAPER

Limit of one sale to each customer. A 25c value for only 10c. At Greener's of course. **10c**

3 BIG BOXES OF STEEL WOOL

Fine for cleaning kitchen and household articles. Limit one sale to each customer. 30c value for 10c. **10c**

PALM OLIVE SOAP

Another new low price on Palm Olive Soap. Extra special for Greener's First Anniversary. Limit of 5 bars. **6c**

"Tom" Baty Says:

While it is our Covington, Tennessee's First Anniversary we are featuring the same identical bargains here in Sikeston. Another instance where our group buying for a LARGE chain of stores, save you money. Read what my employes say about this 9-day event.

Pretty Infants' Socks

5c

Your choice of white, pink or blue. An extra special for the little ones. Buy a supply and save. At Greener's of course.

EXTRA SPECIAL

Women's Beautiful Full Fashioned Pure Thread Silk HOSE

89c

The biggest hosiery event in all the history of Sikeston. Beautiful, full fashioned, pure thread silk, service weight hose in pretty colors and all sizes. Going away for the 4th, then buy yours Friday and Saturday and save. Thrifty shoppers will buy a year's supply. Extra special for Greener's First Anniversary.



"Dick" Hopper Says:

My many friends will welcome the extra special values we are featuring. Just think, you can buy the best pair of trousers in my department for only $2.95. Trousers you saw priced yesterday at $4.98 and hundreds to choose from. A glance at the items on this page proves the next nine days will be money saving days to you.

49c Printed Voile 35c

40 inches wide and comes in many pretty patterns. Ideal for making summer dresses. Buy yours during Greener's Anniversary and save.

36-in Printed Organdy 25c

This is regular 35c quality materials, and shown in all the wanted summer patterns. 36 inches wide.

FREE! FREE! FREE! FREE!

A flag holder that will fit the radiator cap of your car and five beautiful flags free with every purchase of $2 or more. You will want one for the 4th of July, so you better hurry, as only have 200. It is a regular 50c value. See them in our window tonight. Positively none for sale. Decorate your car for the 4th. It's FREE!

White and Blue Poplin 15c

Regular 25c materials. Fine for women's and children's dresses. Reduced special for Greener's Anniversary.

36 in Printed Dimity 15c

Shown in eight of the season's most wanted patterns. Ideal for Dresses, Curtains, etc., etc., and priced to save you money.

Men's Pre-Shrunk $9.95 LINEN SUITS $7.50



A saving of $2.45 on our already lowest in the city prices on Linen Suits. The fabrics were imported, and are pre-shrunk. A value never before offered thrifty men in this town. All sizes 34 to 42. Keep cool these hot summer days.

Men! Extra Special! Your Choice of the House in

Dress Pants

Valnes to $5 at only

$2.95

The Pants you saw yesterday at $4.98 you can buy during our First Anniversary for only $2.95. Think of it, the choice of the house. Many styles to choose from and a pattern for everyone. All sizes.

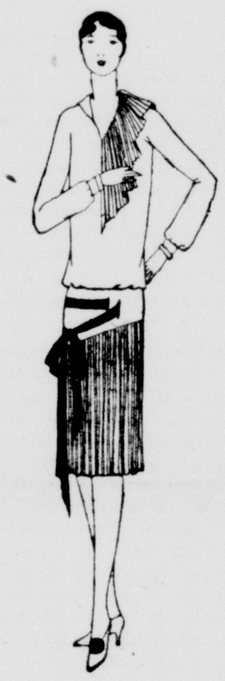
All $12.45 and $9.95

SILK DRESSES

Reduced to

$6.95

We can't buy these Dresses in the open market today for this amount of money, but when th emanufacturer heard of our Anniversary, he said mark them down to $6.95 and charge the loss to me. Beautiful Georgettes, Crepe de Chines, Satins and Printed Crepe Dresses in the very newest summer styles. Your choice of any Dress in Greener's store at only $6.95.



All $5.95 and $4.95

SILK DRESSES

$3.95

The original prices will be left on every Dress. Come see what you save. The biggest Dress bargain ever offered at this low price. The PRICE is RIGHT you know, well, the STYLES are RIGHT, too!

3 Boys' Khaki Pants $1

Big sizes 12 to 18. Ideal for outing. Well made Khaki Knickers priced special for Greener's First Anniversary.

Boys' Longie Pants 65c

Well made wash pants of Daytona suiting. Sizes 6 to 16. Buy the boy a supply and save at Greener's.

Boys' Wash Suits 39c

Regular 49c values, other stores ask 59c. Reduced special for Greener's First Anniversary. Well made and full cut of fine materials. Sizes 3 to 8.

98c Boys' Wash Suits 79c

Many summer patterns to choose from. In addition to pleasing your boy they will also please your purse. All sizes 3 to 8.

Boys' Play Suits 19c

Ideal little play suits for children 1 to 6 yeras of age. Regular 25c values and come in blue.

Men's Hong Kong Pants $1.25

Men's extra heavy Hong Kong pants. Made of good quality twill with two flap pockets. Full cut and all sizes. Regular $1.98 value.

Hand Made Porto Rican Gowns 75c

Hand made and dainty as can be. Why pay $1.39 when you can buy them at Greener's for 75c.

Cups and Saucars 25c

A value thrifty people will appreciate. Remember you can never have too many cups and saucers. 3 for 25c

The Banner Bargain for Men!

BROADCLOTH SHIRTS

All Sizes for All Men **89c** **Colors: White, tan blue and novelties**

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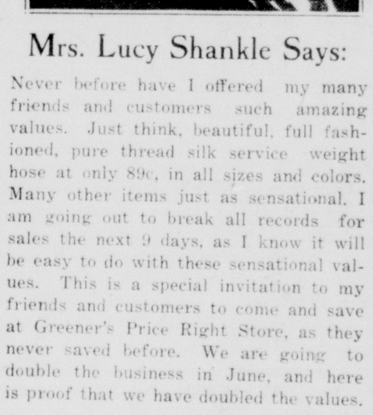
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J. B. Sheridan was right when he called country editors God's Fools, but it was unkind for him to have said it after they have made him and provided him with a good job. We Fools might now try to unmake him by not even reading his wonderfully worded news propaganda. It makes us wonder if others who use us for their convenience think that way about us. We, for one, have been proud of our calling, and believed we were worth while in many ways to the community and expect to hold up our head and believe, because we were dubbed a God's Fool, that God has a use for us and will direct our pencil along the right path. Poor Old Sheridan! How can he meet with the Fools in the future? He will be the one to feel his foolish talk.

With Hoover accused of being more British than American and Curtis a half breed Kaw Indian, we white folks and niggers can take our choice, vote the straight Democratic ticket, a mixed Republican ticket or stay at home. Where do you stand?

"GOD'S FOOLS"

"God's fools, grateful for the smallest and most insignificant courtesy. They hold my job for me", wrote J. B. Sheridan, propagandist for the public utilities in Missouri, of the country editors.

Not a nice thing to say—but the country press of Missouri ought to profit by it. There is no sense in it being so easy as Sheridan found it, the willing tool of the most insidious predatory interest with which the Unted States has ever had to deal. Missouri has had great need of a courageous press to defend herself and her citizens against the power interests. For instance, it is said that not a single water-power site remains untaken in the State, the Federal Government having given away every one without any return whatsoever to the State.

The country press ought to be everywhere alert, everywhere eager to give battle against exploitation. It should be ashamed that it was what Sheridan found it, "grateful for any little courtesy" from people whose designs were neither fair nor honorable. It is not a fault of the press alone. Gov. Baker, when Superintendent of Schools, proved equally gullible. They all pulled the cork under for the power interests, and they were all unconscious of being used.

"God's fools", indeed.—Post-Dispatch.

This paragraph will not be a popular one, but here goes. Many people who are in dire straits for food and clothes, pinch and stint to get gas for their "motor". When more mule teams come to town for necessities and the car is left at home, then an era of real economy will be begun, and until that time sympathy should be withheld from the poor down trodden. An auto is almost a necessity in any line of business, the farmer, the merchant and the professional man, but to run wild for pleasure in these times is a questionable policy. Some can afford it, and others cannot, but to keep in the swim the minnow tries hard to keep up with the big fish.

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This paragraph is to George A. Dempster for service rendered to all the parties, to all the card clubs, to funeral parties, and for other kindly acts committed by this gentleman. He is the man who lends his chairs, his tables, and frequently his truck to deliver or to gather them, and receives no financial return except in uncertain ways that may come. He does all these things cheerfully and frequently smiles and looks pleasant when some of his wares are broken when returned. This is a little pleasure that Mr. Dempster is glad to give.

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This is another time that the soft pedal should be used instead of the loud one. Three weeks ago the best prospects for a come-bcak for the farmer that has been in eight years was in sight. Now, it is doubtful if anything like the wheat, corn and cotton will be raised as was raised last year. The State of Missouri has been rained out from one corner of the State to the other. Creeks have become rivers and all bottom lands, an ocean. To the south, Arkansas is going through the same high water as last year and the Red Cross will be called on to lend assistance. The outlook in Southeast is not at all reassuring.

POLITICAL PARAGRAPHS FROM THE PARIS APPEAL

After wielding more power over both parties than any other president in history, Mr. Coolidge will go out of office with at least one regret. This is that he was born on a farm instead of in a Wall Street bank or New England factory.

Dawes really deserved a better fate. He most likely would have been where Hoover now is except that he smoked a pipe like farmers do and made no secret of his love for country ham. To Predatory Wealth this was like treason to the king.

The old Romans dragged conquered foes at their chariot wheels by way of celebrating their triumphs. It looked at one time like Messrs Mellon and Vare would hang a few farmers to the rafters in convention hall at Kansas City as a mark of triumph and warning to the West. But inability of any real farmers to get inside the hall made this impossible, so the East had to content itself with making kindling wood of all farm planks.

Congressman McNary comes out for Hoover and announces he will be satisfied with the latter's agreement to support the Haugen-McNary farm relief bill without the equalization fee. The contemptible quitter! Coolidge offered as much before vetoing the measure and it could have been enacted in one day except for McNary's insistance that it would be worthless without the equalization fee provision. Looks like he is willing to betray his followers for a mess of pottage.

The only way to judge what the Republican party will do for the farmer in the future is by what it has done for him in the past. Its platform declarations for "prevention and control of surpluses through orderly distribution" is but a repetition of the generalities it dispensed four years ago and eight years ago. Having had complete control of every branch of the government since 1920 without turning a wheel for agriculture how could any man on the farm have a particle of faith in the meanless phrase the Eastern bosses wrote at Kansas City last Thursday?

The West suffers more from Western statesmen than from Eastern industralists. Smoot of Utah, Curtis of Kas. and Borah of Idaho wield more power in the Senate than any other members. Not one of the three is in sympathy with agriculture. Their voices are the voice of Jacob but their hands are the hands of Esau when problems affecting their constituents are up for solution. Big Business could hardly muster three more pliant or influential tools. Until the agricultural West quits sending such men to Washington it will richly deserve the raw deal, including war tariffs and high freight rates, it gets from the industrial East.

The real truth about Hoover and Curtis is that both are men of the highest type; that both, coming up from poverty and obscurity, are living examples of the possibilities of American citizenship; that both are able, capable, courageous and clean, Both, however, are handicapped by records and affiliations that will require a lot of defending and explaining, especially in the West and Middlewest, because their sympathies are more with New England and the East than with those engaged in agricultural pursuits. Curtis was slavish in his loyalty to Coolidge. In addition to opposition he will receive from farm voters Hoover will be the victim of powerful groups, especially those of foreign birth and descent, in our great industrial centers. He will be further embarrassed by widespread publication of his appeal for a Democratic Congress less than 10 years ago, by his advocacy of the League of Nations and by use of his name as a candidate for the Democratic presidential nomination in 1920, also by publication of bitter attacks that were made on him by Senator Fess, the Kansas City keynoter, and other Republican leaders, at that time. Those who imagine Hoover and Curtis will have as easy sailing in November as they had in the convention which registered the will of Coolidge, Mellon and Vare are due for a rude awakening.

It used to be said that wine, women and song lured many a man astray. In the good old days the wine was better, you could tell what was the grade of the women by the paint she wore, and it depended on how much wine you had on board as to how you enjoyed the song.

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Adolphe Sax, inventor of the saxophone, during his lifetime, was knocked down a flight of stairs, swallowed a pin, was burned twice, drank poison and was nearly asphyxiated, and blown up. His grievances were great but he managed to even the score.—Council Bluffs Nonpareil.

WEEKLY NEWS LETTER OF STATE GAME AND FISH DEPT.

The last legislature passed a law recognizing channel cat as a game fish and declaring a closed season on that species from June 10th to July 10th, exclusive. During that period the greater part of its spawning is done by this fish.

Fishermen may recognize the channel cat (ictalurus punctatus) by the following characteristics: It does not reach so great a size as the blue cat and is a trimmer, more active fish than any of the related species. Its flesh is firmer and more flakey and by many people considered to have a somewhat better flavor. The head is rather small, narrow and convex above, so that the eye is a little nearer the upper than the lower outline. The eye is moderate, the posterior edge of the orbit at middle point of the head; mouth small and narrow, barbels long, that on maxillary usually reaching beyond gill-opening; spines long, humeral process long and slender, more than half the length of pectoral spine, which is slightly serrate behind. The color is light olivacious or bluish above, paler on sides, the belly white and silvery, sides usually, perhaps always, with irregular, small, round blackish spots, fins often with dark edgings.

Mary Elizabeth Baker, the daughter of Governor Sam A. Baker, will signal the formal opening and dedication, on July 16, of the big State Park near Patterson, Wayne County, named in her father's honor. At the right moment Miss Baker will hoist Old Glory to the top of the tall flag pole erected for the occasion which be the signal for the bands to burst forth in melody and officially notify the people of the State that this great 6000 acre park and game preserve is open to the public.

The Missouri Ozark Chamber of Commerce will combine with the Game and Fish Department in the ceremonies. Several notable Missourians will speak, among them being Governor Baker and Dwight Brown. Thousands are expected to visit the park on this occasion which will signalize the throwing open to the public of one of the most beautiful parks in the Middle West.

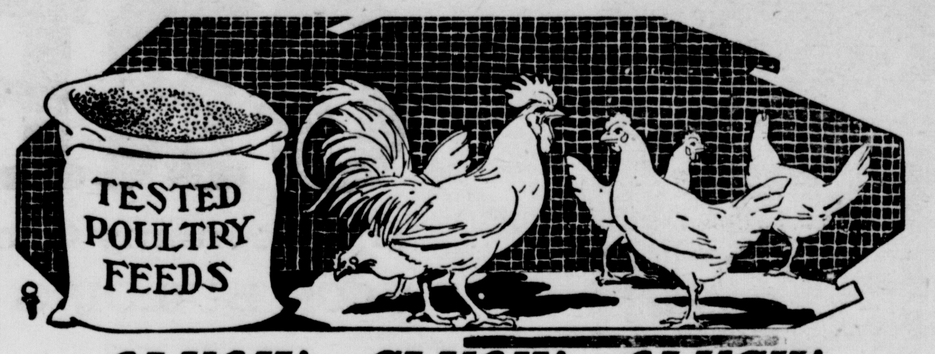
The State Game and Fish Department will hold its annual meeting this year at Steelville, Mo., July 9 and 10. This meeting will be in the nature, primarily of a school of instruction and will be attended by all Park and Hachery Superintendents, Game Refuge Keepers, Field Wardens and District Game Wardens. Keith McCanse, State Game and Fish Commissioner and the Chiefs of Divisions will conduct the school which will be held at the Wildwood Springs Hotel in morning and afternoon sessions. Addresses will be made on every phase of Departmental activity and the subject of wild life conservation. On Monday, Col. J. L. Campbell, Dean of the Junior College, Jefferson City, will speak on "The Importance of Education in Conservation".

Last year the Resort and Travel Bureau of the St. Louis Post-Dispatch received 5669 inquiries concerning out State parks and the Ozarks from prospective tourists and vacationists. 3402 of these were from outside the State and 2267 from a radius of 50 to 60 miles from St. Louis. It is of interest to know that the Post-Dispatch bureau is only one of many similar organizations that are answering such inquiries. When it is known that the railroads are arranging to put on special cars and in some instances augment its service to accommodate travelers to these recreational points we begin to realize that they at least are calculating on a banner year for Ozark Patronage. Judging from the thousands of park booklets asked for by automobile clubs and tourist service concerns, to say nothing of the large number mailed direct by this Department to inquirers, it begins to look as though Missourians had better be getting ready to entertain the United States before the season is over.

The Time You Spend in Church

With the stress of many influences some good, some bad in present life, is there anyone who does not need the steadying, the encouraging, the enduring influences of the Church. Your time this coming Sunday is yours. What you do with it is for you to say. Invest an hour and a half in attendance at Church, then measure its value to you, your condition of mind, your ability to accomplish, your definite progress, during the ensuing work—come to church—this Sunday!

Jesse Rainsford Sprague wrote a whole long article on business in one short paragraph in a recent article in the "S. E. P." when he said: "A lot of people get the idea that big business and little business are worked on two sets of principles. But they aren't. You just use more ciphers in big business; that's all".



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GIRLS! CAN YOU WEAR SHORT SKIRTS?

If not, listen to advice of Thelma Terry, girl orchestra leader at Sikeston July 4th, Henry Meldrum Post 114 American Legion Celebration.

Short skirts are the latest revelation in style, and unless a girl has been amply blessed by Nature, they are indeed apt to be a revelation. But don't feel badly about the new leg consciousness. Thelma Terry, the only girl in the world leading a male dance orchestra, has devised a cure for all the current leg-ailments, and if everyone follows her advice styles can become just as extreme as they want to. You won't have to worry.

Miss Terry and her Playboys Orchestra are appearing at the American Legion Picnic and Celebration on July 4th. She is considerable of a beauty as well as a talented musician.

"To lose or gain weight intelligently by dieting and exercise is the first method of correction", says Miss Terry. "There are stout legs and thin ones. The first type needs less nourishment, the second needs more, and they both need exercise.

"Exercise", she continues, "makes skinny legs graceful and heavy legs neat and shapely. It both develops the muscles and reduces flabby flesh. I heartily recommend the following at-home stunts to be done every day. You will be amazed at the results!

"First—rise on your toes until the weight falls on the balls of the feet. Strain every muscle in your leg, and hold the position for several minutes before relaxing.

"Second—rise on the toes again, then squat low. Rise slowly and repeat this several times. At first you will lose your balance, but later it will become easy.

"Third—try a few steps such as you have seen Russian dancers do on the stage. Squat low, resting on the heels. Then throw one foot forward, and as you bring it back throw the other foot forward. This is strenuous, and on that account, most valuable.

"Fourth—dancing schools recommend this as a shapely leg developer. Stand erect and raise the right leg so that the knee presses the upper part of the body. Hold this for a while, then repeat with the other leg. In musical comedies, the dancing girls are made to do this day after day, fast and furious to the rhythm of music. And, as you know, chorus girls must have beautiful—— yes!

"Do not neglect the skin, particularly if you go swimming. If you are trying to fatten your legs, rub in cocoa-butter or olive oil. If you are reducing massage without the creams.

"If every girl will work diligently on the above exercises, and in addition will indulge in healthful walks, dances and games, she will resemble a certain young lady of whom it was said that she wore two pairs of garters—one to hold up her stockings and the other to hold up traffic".

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel R. Borntrager announce the arrival of a daughter, on June 13.

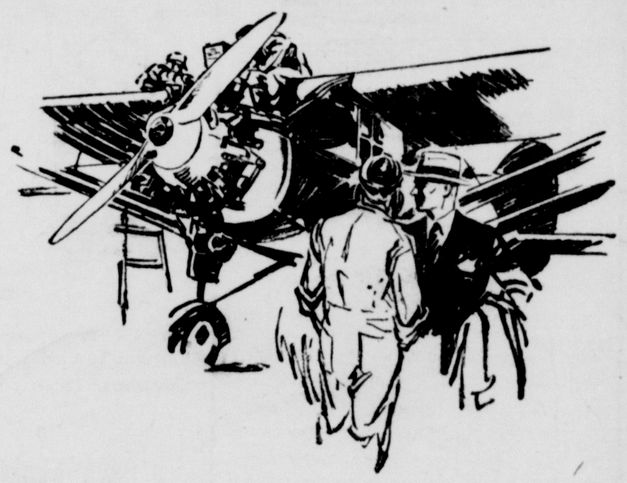
Mrs. W. H. Carter is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Rex Cook and family in Carbondale, Ill., this week.



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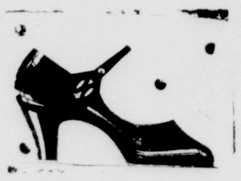
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And feels its courage strong—
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—Anon.

DAINTY TIDBITS

There are so many tasty bits of food, called fancy dishes, which may be prepared at home with very little work and not much experience.



Loganberry Frappe.—Boil together one-half cupful of water and one and one-half cupfuls of sugar. Strain the juice of one can of the finest loganberries and mash through a sieve. Add the juice of half a lemon and the strained juice to the sugar sirup. Stir well and strain through a sieve again. Cool and pack in a mold placed in ice and salt for three hours. Serve in tall glasses with whipped cream for garnishment.

Pear and Chocolate Mousee.—Take one cupful of cooked pear pulp, add one cupful of sugar and a tablespoonful of lemon juice and a bit of grated rind. Melt two squares of bitter chocolate to one cupful of whipped cream, add the pear pulp, a bit of salt, mix well with one-half cupful of pear juice and pack in ice in a mold. Let stand three to four hours. The sugar is best added to the cream after whipping, as it holds up better.

Almond Acorns.—Blanch the desired amount of almonds and dry well. Dip each tip, coating them two-thirds of the way up in sweet melted dipping chocolate. Dip them immediately into chopped pistachio nuts and place on waxed paper to dry.

Chocolate Prunes.—Wash and soak overnight large fine prunes. Bring to the boiling point, remove and drain. Remove the pits and allow the prunes to dry. Fill each prune with a salted pecan meat and dip in melted chocolate. Let stand until well dried, then wrap in waxed paper.

French Dates.—Stone large dates and steam them for five minutes. When cool stuff them with fondant. Cut pistachio nut meats into halves and press two or three pieces into the fondant of each date so that the meats show.

Nellie Maxwell

TECHNICOLOR REVEALS AUBURN-HAIRED BEAUTY

Technicolor may beocme a regular feature of starring moving picture productions as a result of the precedent set by the directors of "Red Hair", the new Paramoun picture, starring Clara Bow, which will come to the Malone Theatre Monday and Tuesday. Brilliant effects are produced in the opening sequences of "Red Hair" by this process and the auburn tresses of Clara Bow, so long known to film-goers only in the unsatisfactory medium of black and white, are here shown in their real glory.

B. P. Schulberg, associate producer of "Red Hair", is so well pleased with the resulks of this innovation in this particular picture, that he predicts a more frequent use of this medium in future productions.

"A great deal of the real personality of Miss Bow is explained by her hair, which is of a brilliant auburn color", Mr. Schulberg said. Until this time, this pleasing feature of the star's appearance has been hidden from the public and the color effects will bring the famous star even closer to the public".

Besides showing Clara Bow's glowing hair in its natural hue, the color sequences of the film will do double duty in revealing the flaming pigmentation of Lane Chandler's hair. The leading man of "Red Hair" has hair only a trifle less flaming than that of Miss Bow and is Hollywood's first and only red-headed leading man.

"Red Hair" is said to be the perfect story for Miss Bow. It is a tale of an American flapper, whose harmless flirtations get her into all sorts of trouble when the right boy turns up. The story is the first one Elinor Glynn has written for Miss Bow since the famous "It".

"Red Hair" was directed by Clarence Badger, director of "It", and the supporting cast includes William Austin, Jacquelin Gadson, Lawrence Grant and Claude King.

Color effects in clothes, which Miss Bow believes to be so necessary for the proper background of the red haired woman will also be displayed in the technicolor portions of "Red Hair".

"Although the woman with red hair has a very difficult problem when it comes to dress, she may make herself outstandingly attractive if she is willing to devote some time to the consideration of color harmonies", Miss Bow says.

Black and dark blue are recommended by the star as the two most favorable colors for women who have red hair but she urges that all shades of red be avoided in clothes.

Red hair and red hats clash and this point should be put down and remembered at all times", says Miss Bow. "Green appears to be a very popular color with those whose hair is red, but I would advise sticking to the lighter shades of green, such as sea foam and Nile.

"For evening wear I do not think a woman with red hair can make a better choice than white. Here is obtained a maximum of contrast and every bit of coloring one might have is set off to the best advantage with just plain white".

Particular care has been taken by Miss Bow to use the best color combinations in her costumes in "Red Hair" and the harmony effects are said to be remarkable.

The early scenes of the picture were taken at a shore resort and the coloring of the beach, with the sunlight on the sand and the water and its throng of vacation idlers in smart beach costumes furnishes a splendid setting for the use of the technicolor process.

While the inspiring temperament of red haired persons was a motive which influenced Miss Bow in suggesting a red-headed man for the lead in "Red Hair", the charm of Lane Chandler's flame-colored hair will add to the colorful effect in the opening sequences.

Elinor Glyn first suggested to Miss Bow that red haired persons possessed this inspiring temperament and Chandler's latest triumph may be traced to this suggestion of the author.

Not only is he the only red-headed leading man in moving pictures but he is also the tallest leading man in moving pictures. He is six feet, two inches tall. He weighs 185 pounds and has dark gray eyes.

Speaking of model husbands, we'll bet the Portland, Oregon, woman who can shoot a score of 94 out of a 100 with a revolver has got one.—Macon Telegraph.

Perhaps the McNary-Haugen bill would have relieved the corn-belt farmers, but the veto certainly has relieved the corn-belt politicians.—San Diego Union.

My insurance office is now located Room 6, Sikeston Trust Co., Bldg. Insurance, Rentals, Loans.—John G. Powell.

Still a Prohibitionist.—Headline. Well, there are stills that have done more to induce people to stop trying to drink liquor than almost any other agency one might mention.—Nashville Banner.

The Literary Digest presents evidence that tigers can climb trees, which strengthens, if possible, our previous resolve that somebody else is going to have to do all the tiger hunting.—Nashville Banner.



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But some of those who failed of success in that rush were of sterner stuff. They pressed on across the Colorado range and found gold-bearing gravel in South Park.

In the spring of 1860 some of these dauntless prospectors worked their way across the second range into the headwaters of the Arkansas river, from which many millions of dollars' worth of placer gold was destined to be washed.

No sooner had the first parties worked their way into this rich territory than gold strikes were reported in what was known as California Gulch. Slater, Currier, Rafferty, Stevens and Tabor were names among the earliest of those who found the coveted treasure.

The most astounding thing about the California Gulch strikes was the rapidity with which the news spread. Although the region was one of the wildest into which prospectors had yet ventured and almost no one had even traveled through the region prior to the strikes of 1860, seventy prospectors poured into the gulch within a few days after word of the discovery had gone out. By July 10,000 persons were in the camp, according to the estimate of S. F. Emmons, geologist in charge of the United States geological survey in 1885, who studied the history of the place. It was said that $2,000,000 worth of placer gold was taken out the first summer, though Emmons considered this an exaggeration.

The characteristics of a mining camp based on placer gold rather than on the more substantial "rock in place" type of diggings, which is to say, the true lode or vein, soon manifested themselves in California Gulch. Once the richest yield of the placer cradles had been extracted the population began to diminish swiftly. In three or four years' time, only hundreds remained where there had been thousands. Kellogg and other prospectors of the restless type sought newer fields. Tabor, settling down to the business of running the only store in the place, thereby put himself in the way of fortune, for it was a grubstake from that store that led to the discovery of the Fryer hill deposits in which was later to be Leadville.

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ENORMOUS FARM FIRE LOSSES PRESENT PROBLEM FOR STUDY

Approximately $150,000,000 worth of property is destroyed each year by farm fires. This does not take into account possible waste of foodstuffs or of labor. Among the most important causes are spontaneous ignition of hay, grain, feeds and other agricultural products; lightning; defective chimneys and heating outfits; and sparks on combustible roofs; other causes include carelessness in handling matches or in smoking; carelessmess in using and storing gasoline and kerosene; and faulty electrical wiring. In connection with the spontaneous ignition of hay stored in farm buildings, such material inundated by the notable Vermont floods heated rapidly after the water receded, one barn which stood in 5 feet of water burning only three days after the flood.

This spontaneous heating of hay and other products will be one of the first problems considered by the Bureau of Chemistry and Soils, United States Department of Agriculture, which is making a study of ways and means of preventing this huge loss. Co-operating with the department specialists are various prominent insurance and fire-protection organizatoins.

Our idea of a contented man is the one, if any, that enjoys the scenery along the detour.—Ohio State Journal.

Another of life's unsolved mysteries is why, when you have a swatter in your hand, a fly nearly always persists in alighting on something fragile.—Louisville Times.

An American film-producer says that the children he employs often suggests ideas to him. That explains a good deal.—Punch.

Kentucky is claiming the world's pork record. The State cannot be familiar with the performances of Congress.—Pittsburgh Post-Gazette.

Politics has developed into a business, but we Democrats do not yet seem to have caught the business aptitude for combination.—Virginian-Pilot.

Queen Marie of Roumania is coming to visit the United States again, and soon. But if she hopes to receive the attention showered upon her on her first pilgrimage to a great democracy, she'll do well to bring along little King Mikey.—Manchester Union.

King's Mate

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CHAPTER VIII

Rosemary stayed in the yard, though the stones of her seat were sharp. She must forget what she stigmatized as the "ridiculousness" of the last week. If she treated the situation as perfectly normal, it would become so of course. She resolved to interest herself in the Riffian war, to study the customs and politics of the people. In time she might get as excited about them as the Kaid. For an instant she saw herself an African Joan of Arc. Then her bare legs attracted her attention. "Economical," she thought. "Healthy, but not at all engaging!" Her thoughts flew on

"Zarifa!" she called. "Isn't there a mirror in the whole village?"

"Yes, yes," shrilled the handmaiden. "I will get one." And, when the light was almost gone, she bustled into the room with a fly-blown glass, ornately framed in gilt. "It belongs to Sidi Mohamed's wife and she was proud and grateful to lend it to a bride."

Rosemary's mood was proof against her giggles. She studied her face with considerable attention. "It's like meeting an old acquaintance," she reflected, and smiled with firm lips, so thin skinned that the blood underneath was like red, smooth petals.

Zarifa watched her draw a damp finger across her eyebrows, which were long and slim, and comb her hair, pushing it into waves with impatient purpose.

"Wallahi, Allah has given you beauty. The Kaid may well be pleased." The words rolled off Rosemary's new security. She was glad she was beautiful, for it made things more exciting. Some day, perhaps, Westwyn would realize it. Her cheeks began to burn. She must not look back. There were things she couldn't bear to remember, worst of all the moment when the Kaid had picked her bodily off the couch and told her to play the game. D—n him, she thought, and then pushed away her resentment, packing it down amidst layers of common sense. It was no use regretting anything. She must begin all over again.

They sat on the couch, talking long after Ahmed had cleared away the dishes, delighted at the destruction which proved his skill. Westwyn was preoccupied, though he took in every detail of the girl's grace, as she twisted into the most comfortable position against the brilliant bolsters.

"He can't get away from his soldiery," thought Rosemary, but the man's mind was fixed on pajamas! What the deuce did she sleep in, he wondered. Why on earth hadn't he thought of it before. His teeth bit into the pipe-stem. Planning a southern offensive, decided his companion, half amused, half annoyed. She moved restlessly against the cushions, pushing them into a better angle.

"Do they always stuff their pillows with young potatoes?"

"Yes, I think so—pretty neck racking, isn't it?" returned Westwyn, regarding her as if she were a strategic puzzle, and wondering whether he could offer her some pajamas! Oppressed by the problem, his leave taking was somewhat disconnected. "I suppose Zarifa can make this into a decent bed," he remarked, prodding the hard, hempen couch. His gaze wandered round the room, with its bare mud walls decorated with texts from the Koran, and its islands of camp furniture upon a sea of matting. "I'm afraid it's awfully uncomfortable," he said. "I do hope you'll be all right. If you'll wait a minute I'll get you—" and he disappeared through the door into the yard.

Rosemary sat on the window ledge contemplating a corner of starlit sky—it looked as if it were a flower bed. She felt she could pick out the biggest stars and set them like candles on the table. Westwyn's footsteps came slowly across the yard. He hesitated in the doorway, a bundle of pale-colored garments in his arms. His smile was guilty, but there was a twinkle in his eyes.

"Look here, Rosemary—you'll have to let me call you that; I can't say Mrs. Westwyn, can I?—it would be indiscreet, I suppose, to ask what you do sleep in, but I thought perhaps you'd let me lend you these." He dumped the pajamas on the couch and retreated, with the air of getting as far away from them as possible.

Rosemary struggled not to laugh. His embarrassment made her mistress of the situation. "Thank you, awfully. It'll be a great improvement on a barracan. So scratchy, you know, and my toes always get entangled in the fringe." From sheer mischief she crossed to the couch and picked up a striped coat. "I shall disappear in it altogether and never be found again," she said, measuring the arms.

Westwyn was amused. Two could play that game! "Turn up the sleeves," he suggested, and came over to help. It was while they were both holding the coat, laughing at each other as they weighed and summed up the new feeling between them, that a burst of music came from outside. Wild and stormy, it was sound woven into the passion of a marriage night, the song of women drifting like leaves on a tide. It caught at Rosemary's heart, and her face reflected something of its tumult.

"What is it?" she asked, and noticed the man's hands clenched on the stuff they held.

"It's the village women. They have come here to celebrate the wedding. Listen, now." For the life of him he couldn't help touching her arm. Through the music came a ringing ululation, the primitive rejoicing of woman in her mate, her glad promise of fertility. The mask of civilization was torn from Rosemary as the music wrenched her nerves. For a minute she was as much potential wife as any of the shrouded figures who rejoiced in her fulfillment. Wide-eyed and fearless, the tide of life full in her veins, she looked at Westwyn and saw his face sterner than she had ever known it.

"You must go out to them. Give them money," he said, and pushed silver into her hand.

"Come, too," she pleaded, puzzled and a little hurt, but still hypnotized by the tremendous forces echoed from audh and drum.

Westwyn shook his head. "I can't. They are not all peasants. Some of them may be veiled." He urged her gently toward the door. She turned to him, moved beyond speech, but he was unresponsive.

The night air struck cold in her face and the women surrounded her with their song. It was harsh now and insistent. Frightened, she offered them money, muttered thanks in her few words of Arabic, and retreated toward the protection waiting indoors. But her room was empty.

For a long time the girl sat on the couch, staring at the door, through which Westwyn had left. Zarifa, tearing herself reluctantly from the excitement in the court, smiled when she saw her mistress so absorbed. "Allah give you happiness," she whispered, "but you must prepare for the master's return."

"Don't be an idiot!" retorted Rosemary in English.

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The days which followed reconciled Rosemary to Telehdi. There were moments when she almost liked it. She no longer felt a prisoner among strangers. Westwyn managed to inspire her with enough of his enthusiasm to make her appreciate the qualities of the mountaineers. She watched the brown-robed riflemen laughing in anticipation of the morrow's raid and watched those same men drag themselves home wounded, with a smile for their pain. They took war lightly, these mountain people. It was part of the natural hardship of their lives. "Man was born to fight. Woman to work!"

Sometimes Rosemary rode up under the brow of the pass with Westwyn and, from one of the twin peaks, they could see the headwaters of the river, whose dam was going to burst, but more than that he would not tell her.

"It is better that you should know nothing. Zarifa is an awful chatterer and she has some sort of relation in Martengo's house. By the way, the Spaniard is on his feet again. I wonder what revenge he is plotting! I shouldn't be surprised if he tried to sell us to Spain."

"You seem very calm about it."

"Well, he'd never get paid—that's certain! Our gallant enemies are freer with promises than with money." In spite of such lightness, there was a Riffi guard now round Westwyn's house, and Rosemary never rode alone.

Westwyn would talk for hours about the Riff and, through it, they became friends, but always on the surface was the antagonism of their interest in each other. If the man had not been so busy he would have realized himself in love. As it was, Rosemary was a stimulus to him, and a danger, because she crept into his thoughts when they ought to have been occupied with maps and mountain batteries.

The rains had begun, and each mountain path was a stream. Excitement permeated the village, though few guessed its origin. Something was pending, but only Abd-el-Krim's counselors knew what it was.

"The secret has been well kept," they could assure each other with satisfaction.

Even Zarifa's curiosity drew blank. "A great thing is going to happen," she told her mistress. "It is like the feeling before a storm. Martengo, that evil one, is excited. Perhaps he sees a chance to interfere."

"How do you know about him?"

"My mother's cousin is a servant in his house. All day he plays chess, that game of wooden armies, with a Portuguese, who is his friend, but I think they plot more than how to mate a dummy king!" Zarifa's mixture of French and Arabic was forceful and it roused Rosemary's curiosity. That afternoon she asked Westwyn pointblank. "What is being planned? The whole village is on edge. It's rather like sitting on the rim of a volcano and waiting for it to explode. The ministers are like children with a secret. Mystery is written all over their faces. It's as irritating as it's silly."

Westwyn laughed, but he would not explain. "It's a great feat for a Riff to keep a secret at all. No wonder they have indigestion."

"You are quite convinced, aren't you, that a woman is not to be trusted with one. You thought I should tell the French about the pass."

"Secrets are not healthy in Telehdi. Martengo is the uncertain quality, and I don't like that Portuguese pal of his." Westwyn evaded the question with a fact which was so obvious that Rosemary felt it lay about in chunks about her to fall over!

"He shall tell me," she thought: "I'll make him," and her chin set in the firm sweep that had antagonized De Vries.

"You look like Lucretia Borgia plotting the death of her latest husband."

"No, only the downfall of my first," retorted the girl, a gleam under her shrouding lashes. They looked like smudges of smoke on her cheek, thought the man, and told her, when she banished the expression, regarding him out of cat's eyes, still and deep. "Nobody could be as good as you look in this moment. I suspect you of the worst."

"I also have a secret?" mocked the girl.

"You shall know mine in a week," offered Westwyn.

"I'll know it before then," vowed Rosemary to herself, and aloud. "You shall know mine—never!" Her hair was like misty spirals in the damp her mouth curled at the corners. She was young, radiant, and excited. Westwyn's blood responded. He wanted to make love to her, but he hadn't time! Their moments together were growing fewer. The meals which Ahmed, from the first, had decided they must share, were interrupted by the sultan's messengers. Even now, as they stood by the well in the harem court, under a lowering sky, mist hiding the peaks, there was a clatter of mule hoofs beyond their wall.

"That's young Menebbhe. I recognize his particular brand of oaths. I never get you to myself for a moment. But," he bent till his lips almost touched her hair, "the war is going to end, and then—"

"Are you content to wait as long as that?" asked Rosemary, drawing back. Westwyn's eyes accepted her challenge, the twist at the corner of his lips was expressive, but he did not answer.

"He shall tell me! It's absurd. I must know what's going on," thought Rosemary, as she tried the effect of a gauze scarf which Abd-el Krim's mother had sent her. Two lamps,



Zarifa Sat on the Floor Regarding Her Mistress With Her Usual Lidless Stare, While She Talked of the Kaid.

both smoking, for never was a Moroccan born who could cut a wick straight, threw shifting shadows over the mud walls.

Zarifa sat on the floor, regarding her mistress with her usual lidless stare, while she talked of the Kaid. He was her main subject of conversation, first because all interest in the Riff centered in his fabulous achievements, and secondly because it was quite obvious that the theme was popular with her audience. "Your skin is like milk," she interpolated. "Pull the silk down under your arm." With the grace of a cat she was on her feet. "Alee! You do not know how to twist that thing. Let it fall, so—" She wound the shimmering sapphire stuff with a cunning which sheathed Rosemary's slenderness and left bare one shoulder, veiling the other in a cascade of silver bordered folds.

"I shall never be able to walk in it," laughed her mistress, and took a few tentative steps, watching the effect in the mirror.

"Allah! You are beautiful!" muttered Zarifa, awed by the contrast of pale hair and skin against the blue. "You must have scent, and then you will be irresistible," she added, and drew a flask from her belt to smear a precious, pungent drop of attar on Rosemary's breast. "You are like Leila, of whom the madman sung," she continued, and burst into the old, wailing chant wherein a medieval Arab tells of the love his humility could not win. Rosemary did not listen to the words, but the refrain quickened her excitement. She meant to break down Westwyn's reserve, to force his secret from him, but she would not face the reason why she wanted to know. What did the plans of Telehdi matter, but she must win her point! Always, when they two were at issue, Westwyn had prevailed. Her will had broken before his. It had been humiliating, but—tonight! She stretched out young, smooth arms—surely tonight he would give way. "Afterward?" Her mouth was very red, her pulses throbbed. "Afterward," who knew, but first she must win her point!

Ahmed apologized for his failure to produce more than a dozen different dishes. Such a meal was beneath the Kaid's dignity, he explained, as he fussed with the arrangement of the camp table, but, as the noble lady knew, food was getting scarce. Then Westwyn came in, and from the first moment he could not take his eyes off the gold and blue and white that was a changed Rosemary.

"Abd-el Krim's mother sent me this," explained the girl, fingering the scarf. Beneath that uncompromising gaze she was not quite so sure of victory. She talked quickly, sometimes brilliantly, while they sampled the mystery of Ahmed's cooking. "I never know what's at the bottom of these bowls," she said, fishing with a fork, but Westwyn would not respond.

"It has been growing on me, in spite of my denseness, that you are very lovely. Odd, wasn't it, that I didn't grasp it when I first saw you down there by the caves?" His voice was gently mocking, but his eyes were direct. A flame burnt in them, so that they seemed white hot. The girl had a suspicion of forces beyond her or any one else's power of control.

"My charms were well overlaid with dirt," she remarked without looking up.

"No wonder you were so surprised that I would not let you go back to Fez."

The war was being pushed into her own country, and Rosemary rallied her forces. "You'll probably be thankful to get rid of me in the end." Her head went back, showing the long line of her throat. Westwyn knew the game. Many women in many lands had flung him that gesture of invitation. He had only to put out a hand to touch that smooth, sun-kissed throat, but he did not move. Ahmed came in and took away the tray, brought them coffee in handleless cups, and departed, shutting the door with an air of finality.

"Do you want to go, now?" asked Westwyn at last.

Rosemary countered. "I thought you said the war was going to end very soon?" She must know, first, the thing he hid from her. "Tell me what you meant?" Her eyes were shining, clear jewels, with life mirrored in them. There was a flush on her cheeks! She was at her loveliest, triumphant because of what she saw in Westwyn's face, a little afraid because she was up against the man inevitable to her womanhood. Disregarding the coffee, she leaned on the table, cupping her chin in her hands.

"Do you want to go?" repeated Westwyn, leaning back, his hands hidden in his pockets.

"No," said Rosemary, and the word was hoarse, as if it were dragged up from the depths.

There was a jar as the man's chair grated back. It seemed to rip the silence of the room. Then he was beside her on the couch. "Rosemary—darling," but the girl made a gesture to ward him off.

"No, no. I want to know what is happening. I must know—tell me."

Westwyn laughed, bending over her as she retreated against the wall. "What'll you give me for my secret?" His voice was teasing. For a moment he looked a boy, and the tension between them eased.

"Anything!" promised Rosemary, delighted.

"But supposing I take what I want? After all, you are my wife."

The girl's breath was uneven. The instinct to know and the instinct of evasion were at war. She shook her head, fear and something greater than fear struggling in those depths she had all her life denied. Very gently Westwyn took her in his arms, but his deliberation made the action more irresistible. He turned her face up and kissed her lips. "I love you," he said. "I believe I've loved you all the time." For a moment Rosemary yielded, and her mouth was warm, under his. Then she realized he had won. Revolt flashed into her brain, but it was far deeper than she knew. In a last obscure struggle to keep untouched that bit of her which had been cool, assured inviolate, she dragged herself away. Westwyn relaxed his hold, but his hands were still on her arms.

"It is too late," he said. "You asked for it, you wanted it." His certainty and the mastery of his touch exasperated her. All her modernity was stripped from her. She was at bay. To gain time, to postpone the inevitable, she threw at him the first words that came into her head. It is doubtful if she even realized what they were, and they were directed as much against herself as him.

"You are like every other man!"

Westwyn's face hardened, and his grip hurt her. "What do you mean?" There could be no half measures now.



"I Swear I'll Never Touch You Again Until You Ask Me To!"

She had to choose between complete surrender and an irrevocable blunder, and she did not wait to think.

"Martengo—" she began, and stopped, really frightened at last.

Westwyn was pale under his bronze. His face looked oddly mottled. "Do you mean that?" he asked, letting her go. "Take care what you say?"

Rosemary hesitated. She longed to contradict herself, to explain an impulse which was inexplicable, to give in, but she was confused by the indignation blazing at her. She tried to string words into sense, but found them brittle and meaningless.

Westwyn waited a moment and then, with an effort of immense deliberation, he got up. "There is no need to look like that. You're not going to get burned!" The irony rasped in his voice. He strode to the door and dragged it open and the wind swirled in from the yard. "My God! I swear I'll never touch you again till you ask me to!"

(Continued Tuesday)

Kenneth Turner and Harry Darr of Flint, Mich., are visiting homefolks in Sikeston this week.

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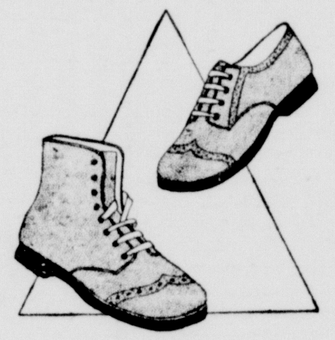


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COUNCIL TO CONSIDER PLANS FOR PAVING KINGSHIGHWAY

Plans for North and South Kingshighway drawn by the W. R. Fuller Company of St. Louis will be up for acceptance at the regular meeting of the Sikeston City Council Monday night. Action may be taken in regards the immediate paving of this important street by tax bills.

The proposition of drainage for North Kingshighway will also be discussed. A committee consisting of J. F. Cox, chairman, Charles Hebbeler, and Judson Boardman was appointed by the mayor to investigation and this committee will probably make a report.

The plans for Kingshighway have been here for some time and have been checked over. The Council has the power to have the street paved by tax bills if there are no remonstrances or if they are settled.

Other than the routine business of the regular monthly meetings there may be some discussion as regards the details in paving of Malone Avenue, the contract for which has been let and which will be signed, possibly next week.

REPRESENTATIVES OF TEN S. E. MO. REVIEWS HERE SAT.

Some twenty or thirty women representing ten or more of the twenty-one Rveiews of the Southeast Missouri Division of the Woman's Benefit Association will be in Sikeston Saturday to meet with Miss Rebecca Pierce, head of the division and Mrs. W. A. Sommers, Supreme Regional Director in regards the plans for the State Convention and cruise rally which is to be held here in October.

Because of high water the representatives of several of the Southeast Missouri Reviews will not be able to attend.

There are several problems to be discussed at the Saturday meeting and in addition some degree work will be given out-of-town people by the Regional Director.

The meeting here in October will attract delegates from Arkansas, Tennessee and Oklahoma in addition to the State of Missouri.

Mrs. W. A. Rhodes and children of Peroia, Ill., are guests of Mrs. W. R. Burks.

Miss Georgia Cox of Dexter spent Wednesday in Sikeston as the guest of Mrs. Mary Griffith.

Mr. and Mrs. Beal Massey returned to Sikeston Tuesday from a visit with Mr. Massey's parents in Little Rock, Ark.

Miss O'Brien of St. Louis is visiting her cousin, Mrs. B. F. Marshall, Jr. and family at Blodgett. Miss O'Brien and Mr. and Mrs. Marshall spent Wednesday in Sikeston.

Mesdames Harry Dover and Bess Cook entertained with a luncheon on Thursday at the home of the former, complimenting Mrs. J. A. Frohock, who is visiting relatives in Sikeston.

1137 FEET PAVED IN ONE DAY ON NEW MADRID ROAD

More than 4458 feet of the pavement between New Madrid and Sikeston had been poured up to Thursday morning and with overcast skies but little or no rain Wednesday night the paver of the A. A. Davis Company continued to pour Thursday morning.

A record for a day was set Wednesday when 1137 feet was poured. However, this record is not expected to stand long as the contracting company plans to rush all work when the weather permits. Only about 400 feet was poured Tuesday but work was not started until 3 p. m.

All the culverts between Sikeston and New Madrid have been put in by the highway department and with an even break in the weather the contract will be finished on time.

WILLIAMS ACCEPTS CALL TO PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Glenn Williams, a student pastor of Benton City, Mo., has accepted the position as pastor of the Sikeston Presbyterian Church for the summer months. The Rev. R. C. Rodgers, who has served his year here will leave for a vacation before taking up work elsewhere. The Rogers will visit in the east.

Mr. Williams will preach here and at Charleston. His first sermon will be held here Sunday evening at 8 o'clock. Every other Sunday he will alternate between Sikeston and Charleston on the morning and evening services. Next Sunday, July 8, he will preach in Sikeston in the morning and at Charleston in the evening. The public is invited to hear Mr. Williams Sunday evening.

SPEAKS TO LIONS

W. F. D. Batjer, secretary of the Cape Girardeau Chamber of Commerce, was honor guest at the regular Thursday luncheon of the Sikeston Lions Club.) Mr. Batjer spoke of the coming bridge dedication at Cape Girardeau on September 3 and invited the civic organizations of Sikeston to take part in the celebration. Frank Van Horne, nwely elected president o fthe Club, was not able to be present.

Harry Blanton is in Jefferson City on business.

The Standard is in receipt of a post card from L. T. Davey, who says he's with the gang this year at the Oil-O-Matic International Convention in Bloomington, Ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Hunter and young son of St. Louis are visiting Hunter's aunt, Mrs. A. B. Skillman. They drove to Cape Girardeau Saturday and on to Sikeston Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Upchurch of Detroit, Mich., who have been visiting Mrs. A. E. Shankle, left Monday for a visit in Eldorado, Ill. Miss Coretta Pharris joined them Thursday, when the party left Friday for Detroit.



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NEWS FROM BLODGETT AND VICINITY

Mrs. R. H. Mackley entertained the Woman's Club last Thursday. Program subject, "What the Ballot Means To Me".

Paper—What Every Club Woman Should Know—Mrs. O. Embrey.

Primaries and Why They Are So Important—Mrs. J. W. Parker.

How the President Is Elected—Mrs. E. R. Putnam.

Taxes—Mrs. W. H. Stubbs.

After the program next year's work was planned.

The Woman's Club is doing splendid work puttnig out flower beds and trying to beautify and clean our town.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Loftin of St. Louis are here visiting the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Austin, of Vanduser.

Miss Mildred Stephens of Springfield is visiting her grandmother, Mrs. Nannie Bransom.

Rev. Doss filled his appointment at the Methodist Church Sunday.

Mrs. Watts of Farmington left Friday for her home after an extended visit here with her daughter, Mrs. C. L. Stubbs.

B. H. Sneary of Chicago came in last Thursday for a short visit with his family at their cottage, "May Haren". They returned to Chicago Monday.

Mrs. E. J. Neinstedt and Mrs. E. R. Putnam shopped in Cape Girardeau last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Evan Burke of Vanduser visited Mrs. James Peal Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Hartzell Brock, Mrs. L. Brock and Mrs. Adams of Benton were visitors at the James Peal home Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Huey have as their guests this week Mrs. Harry Poe of Cape Girardeau.

O. F. Anderson and Tally Huey left this week for Michigan. Mr. Anderson will attend school there.

Mrs. Steward entertained the Woman's Missionary Society Wednesday.

Mrs. Lemons and son, Ross, shopped in Cape Girardeau Thursday. Ross is driving a new Chevrolet.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Scarbrough entertainde Rev. Doss and famliy Sunday.

Robert Graham had several relatives and friends for dinner Sunday, it being his 20th birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. Locke of Cape Girardeau visited relatives here last weekend.

Pinnells Brighten Up Store

Pinnell Store Company have recently brightened up the interior of their two store rooms by painting their side walls white with blue ceiling.

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Misses Mildred nad Edith Carter are visiting in St. Louis this week.

Master Wallace Lee Young is visiting his grandparents in Oran this week.

Mrs. Gustine Swannagon and Mrs. Glenn Keller visited in Cape Girardeau Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Edwards of Chicago visited the former's brother, Dr. Edwards and family Thursday.

Mrs. S. A. Culp and daughter, Ada, of St. Louis are visiting Mr. and Mrs. C. C. White. Mrs. Culp is a sister of Mrs. White.

Mesdames Ed Coleman nad Moore Greer will attend a bridge party in Charleston Saturday at the home of Miss Margaret Moore.

Mrs. Weyman Luten of Union City, Tenn., will visit her mother in Charleston for a few weeks before returning to Sikeston for a longer stay.

Mrs. Florence Hart of Cairo and daughter, Mrs. John Farris of St. Louis are guests at the Edgar White home. Mrs. Hart is a sister of Mrs. White.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Wagoner and daughter of Dexter and Mr. and Mrs. Max Miller and daughter of Malden were guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Lampert.

Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Stallcup will leave Saturday morning for Lynn Creek, Mo., where Lynnette Stallcup and Olga Matthews will join a girls' camp for a few weeks.

John B. Baxt of New York City, Wm. Browosky of Manila, Ark., and Mr. and Mrs. Boris Borowsky of New York City, who are on their honeymoon now, are guests at the I. Becker home this week.

Mrs. Will Brooke of Chaffee and Mrs. Frank Litzenfelner of Conran spent Wednesday night in Sikeston the guests of Mr. and Mrs. John La Font. While here they attended the revival at the Baptist church.

SEZ THE SIKESTONIAN

By I. C. SIKESTON

These college boys who used to use a toothpick after dinner (not lunch) and who at one time wore a hat just like other human beings, return home with funny ideas. One of them was up town after supper (not dinner) one night last week and asked in a bored tone, "What does one do for night-life in Sikeston?"

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The head-line in The Standard which read "Dum and Bugle Corps Makes Good Will Tour" was entirely unintentional, but someone was unkind enough to suggest that the mistake was in leaving the "b" off the first word instead of the "r" being omitted which was really the case.

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Judge Jos. W. Myers was formerly a fistcuff artist (boxer) according to his own admission. So that is where he got that turned up nose!

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The pickle packing industry is reviving as a result of the new fad of eating pickles to reduce. Some of these large lumber companies would no doubt pay a tidy sum if someone would devise a plan for using up the surplus sawdust which has accumulated.

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Criminal court judges who preside over trials involving Chicago gangsters are not considered good risks by fire insurance companies, says the Columbia Missourian. We suppose that means there is danger of the judge's houses being burned. How about the customers of the gangsters who buy their liquid wares? Guess the life insurance companies consider them a poor risk for a similar "burning" reason.

INFORMATION ON LATE CROPS

FOR THE BENEFIT OF THOSE WHO HAVE BEEN DROWNED OUT or who wish to replant late crops and vegetables the following information is offered.

Sunflowers are the last button on Gabriel's coat. They may be planted until the middle of July with a reasonable assurance of a good crop. Late corn varieties which may make good crops during the remainder of the summer are: Bloody butcher, ninety-day yellow and white, Minnesota white, white cory. Late varieties should not be planted.

Soybeans are very much like cockleburs. They will mature before frost no matter when planted. The Virginians will make a good crop planted up to the middle of July. Cowpeas of course can be planted quite late, but do not hasten their maturity like soybeans nor produce so heavy. The shortest season soybean is the Ito San which may be planted until August 1. The shortest season cowpea is the New Era which may be planted late in July.

Vegetables which will yet produce full crops are: Beans, beets, cabbage, carrots, cauliflower, celery, popcorn, sweet corn, cucumbers, endive, kohlrabi, okra, pumpkin and squash. Those that should be planted in beds and the plants reset to the field are cabbage, cauliflower, and celery.

Throughout August and September the following may be planted: Collards, lettuce, peas, radishes, spinach and turnips.

FORDS AND CHEVIES PARADE

About fifteen automobiles loaded with members of the Ford team of young people of the Baptsit church paraded through the streets of Sikeston Wednesday night. The Chevrolets, the opposing team, were to hold their parade Thursday night. The contest, which is for the largest attendance at the young people's meetings at he church is very close. The Chevrolets led by a single point Thursday with two nights more for the conteste to run.

Miss Jessie Bolling of Cape Girardeau spent the week-end in Sikeston the guest of Miss Lillian Putnam.

Mr. and Mrs. George Anderson and daughter and Miss Ida Law of Point Pleasant visited Mr. and Mrs. Robert Law, Wednesday.

Mesdames Ray Oliver, E. J. Malone, Jr., E. B. Buchanan, Earl Johnson and Miss Lillia Putnam were in Cape Girardeau Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Osburn and son, Robert, of Edgemont, South Dakota, who have been visiting relatives in Dayton, Ohio, and M. Q. Tanner and family of St. Louis are spending a few days in Sikeston the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Handy Smith. Mr. and Mrs. Ranney Applegate were hosts to the Osburns for 12 o'clock dinner on Wednesday. Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Applegate were hosts to the Osburns at 6:00 o'clock dinner Wednesday evening and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Van Horne were hosts to them at 12:00 o'clock dinner Thursday. They will continue on their homeward journey Friday.

BASEBALL

Sunday, July 1

FAIRGROUND PARK, SIKESTON, MO.

Sikeston vs. Osceola, Ark.

The Osceola team is one of the strongest in that section, having defeated Senatobia, Miss., and other strong Southern teams. This team plays week-day baseball and will come to Sikeston loaded for the locals.

Pitcher for Osceola: Lefty Alexander or Red Mickey. Alexander has lost only one game this season and Mickey is a former Southern League pitcher.

Battery for Sikeston: Martin, Schweatman and Bowman or Limbaugh.

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TAYLOR AUTOMOBILE HOLDS FORMAL OPENING WEDNESDAY

The formal opening of the Taylor Garage in its new home on West Front Street was celebrated in connection with the eleventh anniversary of the garage in Sikeston Wednesday night with enterainment and dancing.

About 600 persons attended the opening and more than eighty couples were on the dance floor. The orchestra for the occasion was made up of local musicians. The following played: Paul Slinkard, trumphet; Miss Lillian Shields, piano; Miss Helen Welsh. violin; Otis Tayolr, bass; Ray Hudson ,saxaphone; Harley Mathis, clarinet anl Brandy Payne, drums.

The new home of the garage, which was formrely the Mecca, has been completely remodeled and has been made most attractive both inside and out.

The program which was given was thoroughly enjoyed by the crowd and many encores were given.

Rev. Carlton Lathrop of Cape Girardeau was hte guest of Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Beck Thursday evening.

Charles Scott and Mrs. Jewell Allen, who are in the Emergency Hospital, are getting along nicely.

Mrs. Blount F. Davidson of Chaffee visited with her husband, Rev. Davidson. who is leading the singing at the Baptist revival this week.

Mrs. Earl Pate is visiting in Dexter this week.

Miss Margaret Bowman of Dermott, Ark., who is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Bowman, spent last week-end in Dexter.

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REASONS WHY SMITH SIGNED BILL REPEALING NEW YORK DRY LAW

New York, June 25.—Following is a summary of the salient points of Gov. Smith's message of June 2, 1923, in which he gave his reasons for signing the Cuvillier bill, repealing the Mullan-Gage state prohibition enforcement act:

"The question is whether all vestige of the rights of the states guaranteed by the Federal Constitution is to be driven from our political theory of government", the Governor stated in his message. "The Federal Government has no right to impose upon the state any obligation to pass any statute affirmatively embodying any federal statute".

The Governor gave some attention in his message to the question that is uppermost at present in the Houston convention—the effect of his action on his own political future.

"Much has been said in the public prints with respect to the effect my action on this bill will have upon my own political future", he said. **I have no political future that I am willing to attain by the sacrifice of any principle or any conviction of what, in my mind, is for the welfare and benefit of this state and nation".**

The Governor in his message declared that the whole treatment of the prohibition question had been marked by hpocrisy and the carrying of water on both shoulders. He said the country was looking for some constructive forward-looking suggestion disregarding the fanatical "wets" and fanatical "drys" alike.

He suggested that the one-half of 1 per cent limitation in the Volstead act should be replaced by a more flexible provision with a higher maximum whch could be applied in states that so desired while the others could be left free to retain the present standard.

In his message the Governor embodied a warning that repeal of the law would not lessen the obligation of the peace officers in the state to enforce to the letter its twin brother, the Volstead act.

"Let it be understood", said the Governor, "that this really does not in the slightest degree lessen the obligation of the peace officers of the states to enforce in its strictest letter the Volstead act, and warning to the effect is herein contained as coming from the chief executive of the State of New York."

Gov. Smith gave this assurance to those who were apprehensive that the repeal meant the return of the saloon:

"With all the earnestness that I am able to bring to my command let me assure the thousands of people who wrote me on this subject and the citizens of the state generally, that **the repeal of the Mullan-Gage law would not and cannot by any stretch of the imagination bring back into existence the saloon, which is, and ought to be, a defunct institution in this country, and any attempt at its re-establishment by a construction of he executive attitude will be forcefully and vigorously suppressed".**

He scouted the idea that repeal of the law would involve nullification of the eighteenth amendment so far as this State was concerned.

"The mere omission to maintain a state statute in no way abrogates a federal statute", he said.

The Governor maintained that the contention of the "drys" that the concurrent power of enforcement lodged in the states by the prohibition amendment and imposed the duty to maintain a state enforcement law, was untenable and undoubtedly had its origin in "their own frame of mind" on the subject of prohibition.

Gov. Smith added that he had reached the conclusion that enforcement of the prohibition laws could be best maintained by the Federal Government and that, with the responsibility no longer divided as the result of separate state enforcement, the authorities at Washington would be keyed up to keener realization and mort effective performance of the duty resting on them.

In his message the Governor declared the repeal of the state law would do away with double jjeopardy of State and Federal prosecution for the violation of the eighteenth amendment.

"Over and beyond all this", he said, "I believe the approval of this repeal will reawaken in the public mind the the fundamental conception of the law of the land and re-establish, beyond doubt, what constitutes the essentials of the relation between the Federal Government and the soverign states of the Union".

He made some pointed comment on the letter written by the late President Harding to Dr. Wesley Wait of New Burgh, N. Y., in which the President declared that repeal of the Mullan-Gage law would be a calamity.

The Governor said that the President erred in declaring that because the Federal Government did not have as elaborate machinery as the State for law enforcement, that the states severally were obligated to maintain separate statutes for the enforcement of the Volstead act. He said that this view represented an encroachment upon the soverign rights of the States.

"With all respect to the President of the United States, I must here reassert this principle against his challenge and **as the chief extcutive of the greatest sovereignty in the Union, it is my duty to declare and maintain that sovereignty in exact accordance with the guarantees of the Constitution".**

The Governor gave the following constructive suggestion to relieve the country of the perplexing prohibition question:

"It seems to me that common sense backed up by good medical opinion can find a more scientific definition of what constitutes an intoxicating beverage. Such a definition should be adopted by Congress as a proper and reasonable amendment of the Volstead act and a maximum alcoholic content should be prescribed by Congress which would limit all states to traffic in liquors which are in fact nonintoxicating within the meaning of the eighteenth amendment.

"Subject to that iimitation each State should thereafter be left free to deermine for itself what should constitute an intoxicating beverage. States which then wished to limit traffic to beverages containing not more than one-half of one per cent of alcohol would be free to do so and thse who desired to extend the traffic to the maximum limitation allowed by Federal statute would be equally free to do so.

"There could be, within the limitations of the maximum, many differneces of degree, extending even to the complete prohibition by some states of tra.c in liquor containing any alcohol whatever.

"This would be in keeping with the freedom and liberty of different states with differing local conditions to legislate for themselves, subject always to the maximum limitation enacted by Congress which should be paramount".

GUINEA FOWL SOMETIMES GO BACK TO WILD STATE

Guinea fowls have been domesticated all over the United States, especially in the South, comments a scientist of the United States Department of Agriiulture, and have had plenty of opportunities to escape to the wild. They have shown little indication of desiring to do so, and this seems rather surprising, in view of the fact that they have done so in some of the islands of the West Indies. They were certainly introduced long ago into most of these islands and are now found in a wild state in Jamaica, Cuba, Porto Rico, Dominican Republic, and a few of the Lesser Antilles. Where the mongoose is present it preys extensively on guinea fowl and keeps their numbers much in check. On Barbuda, in the Lesser Antilles, which was made into a sort of game preserve more than 200 years ago, the birds still flourish. Wild guinea fowl have been directly introduced into the Southeastern States in recent years, but the outcome of these experiments is not yet known.

Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Lindsay of Cape Girardeau were visitors to Sikeston Wednesday.

The L. A. W. Class of the Christian church held their regular meeting with Mrs. A. L. Swaim Tuesday evennig.

ACES BEAT MERCHANTS 2-0 AND CINCH OPENING HALF

Dudley's Aces cinched first place in the opening half of the Sikeston Municpial Baseball League Tuesday afternoon with a 2 to 0 win over the Merchants in a hard fought game.

There are three remaining games and each of the other three teams has a chance for second place. The Highways and Internationals were scheduled for Thursday afternoon. A victory for the Highways would tie them with the Merchants and the Internationals must win their remaining two while the Merchants lose one in order for them to occupy second place.

In setting the Merchants down Tuesday, the youngsters from Dud's place had to play real baseball as Tom Malone is developing a strong baseball team in the short time which he has been manager. New players are being added in every game and the old ones shifted to the best advantage.

Ben Sells, pitcher for the Aces, set nine Merchant batters down on strikes and had flawless support from his team mates, not an error being registered against the Chinatown team. Sells did not allow a hit until the fourth inning and only three hits were registered in the game against him.

Cecil Smith, who made his initial appearance in the Muny League Tuesday, started as pitcher for the Merchants and behind more frequent hitting by his own team would have made a fine showing. He is a promising player and will doubtless start for Manager Malone in following games.

The Aces' runs came in the fifth inning. Hubert, the youngest of the ball playing Burrus brothers, got a single, stole second and Sells was safe on Beard's error. Burrus was out at the plate, but Lancaster was safe on the fields' choice. Sells and Lancaster then scored on Dudley's long double, the first ball pitched by Acord, who relieved Smith.

The score by innings:

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
Merchants	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Aces	0	0	0	0	2	0	x

The box score:

Merchants	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Edwards, ss	2	0	0	1	2	0
S. Bloomfield, 1b	3	0	1	9	0	0
D. Bloomfield, c	3	0	0	3	0	0
Hom. Burrus, 2b	3	0	0	1	0	0
Martin, lf	3	0	0	0	1	1
Beard, rf	2	0	1	1	1	1
Kindred, cf	2	0	1	3	0	0
Weideman, 3b	2	0	0	0	1	0
Smith, p	1	0	0	0	1	0
Acord, p	1	0	0	0	1	0
Totals	22	0	3	18	7	2

Aces	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Lancaster, rf	3	1	1	0	0	0
Dudley, 1b	3	0	1	7	0	0
Hor. Burrus, 2b	3	0	0	1	3	0
Bowman, c	3	0	1	10	0	0
Crain, cf	3	0	0	1	0	0
Swaim, lf	3	0	1	1	0	0
Welmuth, ss	3	0	2	0	3	0
Hu. Burrus, 3b	3	0	1	0	0	0
Sells, p	2	1	0	1	1	0
Totals	26	2	7	21	7	0

Summary—Two-base hits: Dudley. Left on bases: Aces 6, Merchants 2. Double plays: Welmuth to Burrus to Dudley; Dudley to Sells. First off balls: Off Sells 1. Struck out by Sells 9, by Smith 1. Losing pitcher, Smith. Umpires: Bowman and Blanton.

WHO, WHEN, WHY AND OTHER MUNICIPAL LEAGUE NOTES

About 300 persons saw the game Tuesday. The crowds at the Muny games have been good all season and the collection which has been taken up each time has just about been enough to pay for the baseballs used. Certainly is strange how interested some people can get in the clouds when the dime basket comes their way.

Among the new faces in the play Tuesday were a couple of short stops who looked mighty good. Welmuth, playing his second game with the Aces, fields well and takes a good cut at the old apple.

Edwards, new short stop for the Merchants, is a real "hot-ball" artist. He robbed Dudley of a hit in the first inning, handling a hard hit ball and making a perfect throw while apparently off balance.

There was some discussion as to whether Dess Bloomfield was out or not on first base for the third out in the first inning.

"He was not out", Umpire Blanton was informed as he strutted in for a drink of water.

"Well", the ump said, "You see that the side has retired don't you? He must have been out then".

Big Burrus and Ben Sells both did something which doesn't happen very often. Burrus fanned three times in three trips to the plate for his share of the unexpected and Ben is the boy who fanned him. Everything Ben had was working good Tuesday.

Cecil Smith, the new Merchants pitcher, was a basketball and football star at Blodgett. He has the makings of a good ball player and will be heard from again this year.

The standings of the teams before Thursday's game:

	WON	LOST	PCT.
Dudley's Aces	6	2	.750
Merchants	4	4	.500
Highways	3	4	.428
Internationals	2	5	.285

A win for the Highways would give them a .500 percentage and a tie with the Merchants for second place. If the Internationols have the victory their percentage will be .375 and the Highways .387.

Notice Of Application To Form Drainage District, Under Article 1 Of Chapter 28 Of the 1919 Revised Statutes and Amendments Thereto.

Notice is hereby given to all persons interested in the following described real estate and other property in Scott County, Missouri, which said real estate and other property is described as follows, to-wit:

In Township 27, North Range 13 East:

The east half and the east half of the west half and the east half of the northwest quarter of the southwest quarter and the east half of the west half of the northwest quarter all in section 20;

All of section 21;

All of the fractional south half and the south half of the north half of section 22;

All of fractional section 27;

All of section 28;

The east half and the east half of the west half and the east half of the southwest quarter of the northwest quarter and the east half of the west half of the southwest quarter of section 29;

The east half and the east half of the west half and the east half of the west half of the west half of section 32;

All of section 33;

All of fractional section 34;

All of the above described real estate is in township 27, north range 13 east, Scott County, Missouri.

And the following real estate:

In Township 26, North Range 13 East, Scott County, Missouri:

All of fractional section 2;

All of section 3;

All of section 4;

The east three-fourths of section 5;

The east three-fourths of section 8;

All of section 9;

All of section 10;

The west three-fourths of fractional section 11;

All of section 14, except 40 acres being the northeast quarter of the northeast quarter of said section 14:

All of section 15;

All of section 16;

The east three-fourths of section 17;

The east three-fourths of section 20;

All of section 21;

All of section 22;

All of section 23;

The west half of the west half of fractional section 25;

All of section 26;

All of section 27;

All of section 28;

The east three-fourths of section 29;

Included in the lands above described are railroad and public road, rights-of-way of the St. Louis-San Francisco Railway Company and the Missouri Paci fic Railroad Company and the State of Missouri and the County of Scott and the Sikeston Special Road District.

That Articles of Association asking that the foregoing lands and other property be formed into a Drainage District under the provisions of Article 1, Chapter 28 Revised Statutes 1919 and amendments thereto, and that the lands and other property as above described will be effected by the formation of said Drainage District and be rendered liable to taxation for the purposes of paying the expenses of organizing and making and maintaining the improvements that may be found necessary to drain, protect and reclaim the lands and other property in said District and you and each of you are hereby notified to appear at the next term of this Court to be held on the 13th day of August, 1928, at Benton in Scott County, Missouri, and show cause, if any there be, why said Drainage District as set forth in the Articles of Association shall not be organized as a public corporation of the State of Missouri.

Witness my hand and official seal this 27th day of June, 1928.

(SEAL)

T. F. HENRY,
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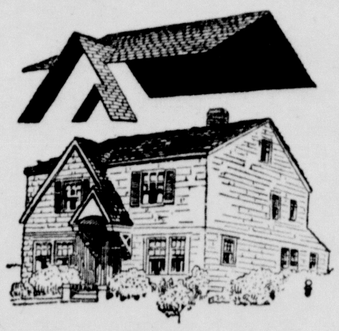
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KINSMEN OF CURTIS ARE OVERSHADOWED BY LARGER TRIBES

Washington, June 25.—The Kaw tribe hold an obscure place in the history of the American Indian, but it has given to the country in Charles Curtis of Kansas, Republican vice presidential nominee, the first candidate for that office to trace his descent to the original inhabitants of America.

One of the Southwestern Siouan group, the Kaw tribe, also known as the Kansa, has been characterized throughout its known history by conservatism. Studies of the American aborigines conducted by the Bureau of American Ethnology, which is directed by the Smithsonian Institution, indicate that its small size probably had soemthing to do with this trait.

It apparently never exceeded 1500 families, a group too small to produce warrior chiefs of historic magnitude except in association with related tribes. Such association probably existed, for Senator Curtis' grandmother, Julie Poppin, who had much to do with rearing him during his boyhood, was a daughter of Chief White Plume and a grand-daughter of Pawhuska, chief of the Osages, the tribe most closely related linguistically to the Kaws.

The Kaws, however, figured only slightly in the history of the country until after the beginning of the series consisted of about twelve nineteenth century, and never were credited with an important part in frontier affairs. By 1850 they had dwindled to about 1700 individuals and by 1905 to 205, of whom only 90 were full-bloods, attacks by more powerful enemies and epidemics of smallpox having wiped out large numbers of them.

The conservatism of the Kaw elders had become their dominant trait by the time Curtis was born on their reservation in Kansas. Although his mother sent him to Quaker missionary school, he was one of the few allowed to attend. An effort by the Methodists to carry Christianity and education to the tribe some years earlier had similarly failed. The tribal elders not only rejected the religion and studies of the white man, but they refused to live in the houses provided for them by the government, regarding their own earth lodges as more healthful and comfortable.

Those lodges were circular in form. The roof was supported by two series of rough vertical posts, forked at the top to hold the transverse connecting pieces. The outer posts five or six feet high, and the liner series of eight longer posts. Poles were extended in radial formation between the connecting pieces of these two circles, leaving a small opening in the center to serve as a smoke hole. These poles served as rafters, slender sticks or twigs being laid across them and fastened in place with bark cord. The frame-work was then thatched with bark or mats or reed or grass and covered with earth, which was banked up to the eaves from the ground.

The principal occupation of the men of the tribe was the hunting of buffalo until that animal was practically exterminated. After that, forced by necessity, they tried farming, but had little success despite the efforts of government advisors. The surviving members of the tribe, however, were long ago adjudged competent to handle thier own affairs instead of being held under the protection of the government as its wards.

BIG CELEBRATION FOR DEDICATION OF BRIDGE SEPT. 3 IS PLANNED

Cape Girardeau, June 28.—Plans for the extensive celebration combining ceremonies incident to the dedication of the Cape Girardeau Bridge and the celebrating of the adoption of the Mississippi River Flood Control Bill have been announced by officials of the Bridge Company and the Chamber of Commerce.

The celebration will be held in Cape Girardeau on September 3, Labor Day, and will also be staged in conjunction with the State Convention of the American Legion which opens its two-day session that day.

The celebration, to be almost nation-wide in character, should bring to Cape Girardeau the largest crowd in history in the opinion of Anthony A. Buford, publicity director for the traffic bridge.

In connection with the celebration of adoption of flood control legislation, invitations will be extended to leaders in the movement throughout the Middle West and because of the size of the territory involved, the celebration snould bring here leaders from the entire Mississippi valley, Buford said.

All flood control work on the river will start from Cape Girardeau, this place having been designated by Congress as the point where the actual harnessing of the river must start.

Invitations will be extended to Gov. Sam A. Baker of Missouri, Gov. Len Small of Illinois, Senator Harry B. Hawes, junior senator from Missouri, Secretary of War Dwight Davis and dozens of other prominent men from Missouri, Illinois and other States.

Congressman Frank Reid of Illinois, chairman of the House Flood Committe and one of the leaders for years for adequate flood control, will be invited, and is expected to be one of the principal speakers at the flood celebration.

Mayor William Hale Thompson, Mayor Victor Miller of St. Louis and the mayors of Memphis, Tenn., New Orleans, La., and other larger cities along the river will also be asked to be present.

While the program has not been completed in detail, there will be a parade to be arranged under supervision of Secretary W. F. D. Batjer of the Chamber of Commerce, dedication ceremonies for the bridge, and other interesting features for the day.

The celebration will essentially be one for both Southern Illinois and Southern Missouri and invitations will be extended to all mayors, civic officials and all citizens to be present and participate.

The new Cape Girardeau Bridge will afford a new short route from Chicago through Memphis to points South. and Southwest. For Missouri it will open a new short route to Kentucky, South and other Southeast points and one of the most important features of this new structure will be the fact that it will open up a new Eastern Gateway to the Ozarks for tourists of Illinois, Kentucky and Indiana and other States East of the Mississippi River.

Engineer P. V. Pennybacker has assured officials of the bridge company that the span, the first traffic bridge between St. Louis and Memphis, will be ready by the date set for the formal opening.

Mrs. W. H. Carter is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Rex Cook and family in Carbondale, Ill., this week.

While Paris cops are crusading against fresh-air kissing, we wonder if they'll pinch an American tourist for kissing his last dollar goodbye.—Chicago Daily News.

If a woman's hips are large in proportion to her waist and bust, she should choose long vertical lines from the shoulder to the floor in designing her dresses. These lines may be stripes in the material, bands, or rows of trimming, rows of buttons, tucks and son on.

An easy dinner menu for wash-day may be acceptable: Cold sliced corn beef or other meat, vegetable curry, radishes, baked bananas. You can use various vegetables in the curry, but a combination contains rice, onion, carrots, fresh or canned peas, celery, in about equal amounts and seasoning. Cook the rice first. Cook the vegetables the necessary length of time for each in small amount of water. Make a ring of the rice, and put the vegetables in the middle, pouring over them a sauce made of the vegetable water, seasoned with curry, salt, pepper or Worcestershire sauce and butter.

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METHODIST CHURCH

Sunday 11:00 o'clock hour is Communion Service. The Message centers around the Table. No Methodist should be absent. Fathers and mothers seee to it that your boys and girls attend.

Evening service 8 o'clock. Sermon by the pastor. Theme: Vision and Action. Big chorus will sing. Come and bring your friends.

Epworth Leagues at regular hours.

Mid-week service at 7:30. Something different next week. Come.

Men's Bible Class Specials

Sunday three big features are going to be presented to the class. No member should be away. Come and help plan the work, and then you will get a joy out of helping to work the plan. Although the day and number are "unlucky," still the Men's Bible class is not afraid The officers and "Motivators" have set Friday, the 13th as time for Big Barbecue. It will be in Malone Park. All committees will be named Sunday.

And then too, there are two other big features to be planned Sunday you will be interested in, so let every "Motivator" be on his toes and get word to every member of his group. Mrs. R. L. Burns sings Sunday. Men be on time. 9:30 is the hour. Last Sunday two men were late. Say, men, lets not let that happen again. All officers and teachers of the school will "check in" for the three months just ahead, beginning Sunday. Let's see how high our average on "on times" can be for the quarter.

To whip cream successfully you must have the cream and the bowl very cold. If the kitchen is hot, it is better to whip the cream out of doors, using a dover beater. Or stand the cream bowl in a pan of crackel ice. To obtain the best whip it is well to use cream that contains at least 30 per cent butterfa and that has aged at least 24 hours.

RED CLOVER IS KEY-STONE OF PROSPERITY

Red clover or a mixure of clovers is the keystone of a permanent system of agriculture in Missouri and no other crop can take its place. The reasons for the importance of clover to the Missouri farmer are summed up by C. E, Carter of the Missouri College of Agriculture on Clover and Prosperity Days as follows:

A crop rotation including legumes is absolutely necessary in order to maintain soil fertility and insure legume feed for livestock. In the second place clover fits into our cropping system better than any other legume because it does not require extra cultivation to get a stand as in the case of soybeans or cowpeas. In a crop rotation clover is superior to alfalfa because once alfalfa is seeded it should be allowed to stand for a period of years. Besides this, alfalfa cannot be grown successfully on many of our soils. Likewise Red clover or Red clover and alsike mixtures can be grown on a number of soils where the supply of lime would not be sufficient to grow sweet clover successfully.

Lime does help the stand of red clover materially in many cases, however, as indicated by the illustration the Krenning farm in St. Louis county where the entire field was limed except for the check strip which was not limed and where the clover proved less hardy and died out the first year.

There is little or no justification for the farmer trying to find some new legume that will take the place of clover. All legumes have their place in our scheme of farming but none is superior to red clover for the average Missouri farm.

Wm. P. Slayton, All Missouri half back who has had five years successful coaching experience, will be Head Coach at the Chillicothe Business College next year assisted by Coaches Lail and Howard.

BAPTIST MEETING TO END SUNDAY NIGHT—YOUNG PEOPLE'S CONTEST ON

The meeting which has been going on at the Baptist church for the past four weeks will close Sunday night. The Rev. W. Greene Winans. who is now conducting the services, Rev. Blunt Davidson, who is leading the singing, and the Rev. S. P. Brite, pastor, said that the meeting had been a success from every angle. About forty conversions have been made so far.

A big feature of the meeting is the young people's meetings which are held at 7:15 o'clock nightly and are over just before the regular service. The young people have been divided into two teams, the Fords and the Chevrolets who are vieing for honors for the best attendance.

The contest is based on the number present on time and the total number present. Two points are given for each person present at 7:15 when the meeting starts and one point for each additional one who comes in. The contest has been nip-and-tuck since its beginning about two weeks ago with very few points difference between the teams. The Fords are captained by Ruth Mathis and Mary Stuppy is the leader of the Chevrolets.

The contest will end tonight (Friday) and Saturday morning both teams will be entertained with a breakfast at the church. Several members of the losing team are to be "initiated" into a very mysterious order.

These meetings have attracted much attention, the attendance has increased from a few to 331 Tuesday night. And an increased number is expected for the remaining time of the contest.

The Rev. Winans preaches short, peppy sermonettets, to the young folks which are cram full of interesting subjects which cause his audiences to think.

The sermons for the remainder of the meeting have been announced by Rev. Winans. Tonight (Friday) he will speak on "One Question God Cannot Answer", and Saturday night he will have as a subject "When Winter Comes".

There will be three meetings held Sunday. At 11 o'clock the subject will be "On the Firing Line". A meeting for men only will be held Sunday afternoon at 3:00 o'clock on "Hooch, Chickens and Jazz"—or, in other words—the old, yet ever new lesson on Wine, Women and Song. For the closing sermon to the meeting, Rev. Winans has selected "And He Said, 'Tomorrow' ".

In connection with the Friday and Saturday night meetings there will be special music. Friday night Miss Lizetta Wehling, soloist of the First Baptist Church of Chaffee will sing and Saturday night the orchestra of the first Baptist Church of Chaffee under the direction of Lt. O. T. Honey will play.

Following the meeting here the Rev. Winans will open a Union meeting in De Soto on July 8 in which all of the churches of De Soto will take part. The Rev. Davidson, who is pastor of the First Baptist Church of Chaffee will return there.

TOWN FOREST PROVIDES FUEL FOR MUNICIPAL BUILDINGS

A town forest that provides fuel for schools, timbers for local bridges and town buildings, and hundreds of cords of wood for distillation has been owned by the town of Warner, N. H., since 1919. The tract includes 800 acres of the tops and slopes of the Mink Hills, in the southern part of the town. It was acquired a part at a time by the late Senator William E. Chandler, who was accustomed to spend his summers in the neighboring village of Waterloo, and, in accordance with Mr. Chandler's wishes, after his death was presented by his son to the town.

Mr. Chandler had improved the tract by planting old fields and building roads and trails, and it included not only areas of young growth and thousands of cords of wood, but fine stands of merchantable timber. Nevtheless the gift was not accepted without warm discussion in town meeting, some of the townspeople expressing grave misgivings over the "venture". During its first winter as town property the forest supplied 100 cords of wood for the heating of the town house, library, and schools, and a cut of lumber that busied a woods crew for several weeks and sold profitably. In the second winter cuttings of hardwoods for liberation of pine provided more than 100 cords of fuel wood, of which the portion not needed for public purposes was sold to the twnspeople at less than the commercial price.

In decisions relating to the management of the forest the forest committee of the town has availed itself of the advice of the State forestry department.

Open areas on the forest have been planted with pine and spruce, and the whole tract has been protected from blister rust. The income from the forest, besides paying for this work, has built up a town forest fund of $2200.

PEP ASSOCIATION MEETS

Between 75 and 100 visitors attended the Tri-County Pep Association pep meeting at the Odd Fellows Hall Tuesday night. Members of the I. O. O. F. and Rebekahs from Cape Girardeau, Mississippi and Scott Counties attended the meeting which was presided over by John Williams, president of the Association of Charleston. A program was given, talks were heard and refreshments were served.

NEW JOHN DEERE MAN HERE

Ernest Hedden of Paris, Mo., is the new John Deere Plow Company manager in Southeast Missouri, succeeding Willis Cunningham. Mr. Hedden was in Sikeston Tuesday and Wednesday. He will probably make his headquarters in Cape Girardeau.

TO THE PUBLIC

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The City Meat Market

and the telephone number has been changed from 660 to

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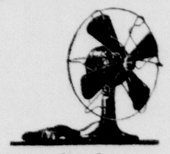
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A soft drink will refresh you for half an hour. The same nickel invested in current for an electric fan will keep the whole family refreshed for a whole day.

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Financial Statement of Scott Co. for Year Ending March 31, 1928

COUNTY REVENUE FUND

Receipts.

To Balance on hand last statement		$25,694.98
To Current Real Estate & Personal Taxes	$49,493.47	
To Current R. R. Telg. & Telephone Taxes	19,810.62	
To Current Merchants Tax	1,500.46	
To Back Taxes Real Estate 1927 & Prior	12,315.33	
To Back Personal Taxes 1927 & Prior	1,039.83	
To Interest on Back Taxes	2,463.12	
To Peddlers License	20.18	
To Pool License	150.19	
To M. E. Montgomery Fees Collected	805.00	
To T. F. Henry, Fees Collected	1,899.26	
To Village of Benton, Water Tax	294.59	
To Bank of Benton, Interest on Daily Deposit	19.21	
To Fees Transferred from fee Book	1,705.45	
To C. D. Harris, refund Hospital No. 4	54.00	
To John Spaulding, County Farm rent	857.75	
To Henry Putz, Treas., Fees due from Cape County	25.75	
To Phoenix Fidelity Insurance Co., loss on County Barn	243.70	
To Brown Jewell, Show License	37.80	92,738.71
To Herman Lufcy, Stenographer Fees	3.00	
		$118,433.69

Disbursements

By Salaries paid to County Officers	30,213.27	
By Books & Stationery Accounts paid	8,096.36	
By Miscl. Accounts paid	18,137.01	
By Temporary relief paid	2,450.00	
By Insane & Hospital Bills paid	15,300.45	
By Interest paid on County Warrants	35.16	
By Accounts paid other than by County Warrant	5,987.00	
By Balance on Hand March 31, 1928	38,214.44	
	$118,433.69	$118,433.69

EXPENDITURES OF SCOTT COUNTY, MISSOURI, FOR FISCAL YEAR COMMENCING

APRIL 1st, 1927 and Ending MARCH 31st, 1928.

County Revenue Fund (Expenditures)

Salaries and Fees of the County Officers.

John W. Heeb, Presiding Judge, Attending Court & Board of Equalization 47 days @ $5.00 per day	$ 235.00
Mileage	12.00
George Buchanan, Judge of the 1st District, Attending Court & Board of Equaligation, 44 days @ $5.00 per day	220.00
Mileage	6.80
Antone Legrand, Judge of the 2nd District, Attending Court & Board of Equalization, 44 days @ $5.00 per day	220.00
A. D. Daniel, Attending Board of Equalization 6 days @ $5.00 per day	30.00
T. F. Henry, Salary Circuit Clerk	2,499.96
M. E. Montgomery, Salary as Prosecuting Attorney	2,509.96
George J. Arnold, Salary as Treasurer of Scott County	3,428.31
E. A. Dye, Sheriff, Attending Court, Board of Prisoners, etc.	5,653.46
L. S. Brock, Balance Salary, County Welfare officer	20.00
William Morie, Salary Janitor	1,200.00
Wade Malcolm, Salary County Welfare Officer	900.00
Silas Butler, Salary Engineer Court House	1,200.00
Lorena Norrid, Salary Deputy Circuit Clerk	1,200.00
A. J. Renner, County Farm Agent	3,249.96
John H. Goodin, Salary County Superintendent Schools	2,100.00
J. Sherwood Smith, Fees due County Clerk	3,897.97
Dr. U. P. Haw, Examining School Children & County patients	258.50
George C. Bean, Attending Board of Equalization, 6 days, @ $5.00 per day	30.00
George C. Bean, Making Assessment Books for County	1,341.45
Total Salary paid to County Officers	$30,213.37

EXPENDITURES FOR BOOKS & STATIONERY FOR COUNTY OFFICERS.

Scott County Democrat, Printing for County officers	$ 101.80
Illmo Jimplicute, Envelopes for Collector	9.75
Standard Printing Co., Printing for Recorder	28.08
Sikeston Standard, Printing & Supplies	111.20
J. W. Beal, Printing & Supplies	119.90
Inland Printing Co., Printing & Supplies	37.24
Buxton-Skinner Stationery Co., Printing & Supplies	69.88
Hammond & Stephens, Supplies for County Supt. Schools	8.14
McCormick Mathis Co., Supplies for County Supt. Schools	48.05
Scott County Democrat, Supplies for County officers	91.25
Illmo Jimplicute, Supplies for County officers	7.50
Sikeston Herald, Notices for Collector	9.00
Chaffee Signal, Notices for Collector	7.00
Hugh Stephens Printing Co., Printing for County Officers	87.20
J. W. Beall, Printing for County Officers	156.26
Geo. D. Barnard Stationery Co., Printing for County Officers	20.01
Skinner-Kennedy Stationery Co., Supplies for Recorder	74.06
Scott County Democrat, Supplies for County officers	114.00
Geo. D. Barnard, Supplies for Circuit Clerk	33.07
Inland Printing Co., Supplies for Circuit Clerk	93.11
Skinner-Kennedy Stationery Co., Supplies for Recorder	24.25
Illmo Jimplicute, Printing & Supplies	18.50
Buxton Skinner, Stationery Co., Supplies	114.12
Hugh Stephens Printing Co., Printing	23.80
Hammond-Stephens, Supplies for Supt. Schools	22.30
Sikeston Standard, Notices for Collector	28.00
Sikeston Herald, Printing for County officers	1.35
Buxton-Skinner, Printing & Supplies for County officer	101.17
Dr. U. P. Haw, Stationery	21.75
J. W. Beall, File for Probate Judge	21.62
Scott County Democrat, Printing	154.00
George D. Barnard Stationery Co., Supplies for County officers	118.53
Hugh-Stephens Printing Co., Printing	8.59
Standard Printing Co., Supplies for County officers	34.50
J. W. Beall, Supplies	426.91
Buxton-Skinner, Printing & Supplies	62.77
Skinner-Kennedy Stationery Co., Printing & Supplies	62.59
Scott County Democrat, Printing & Supplies	215.75
Keystone Envelope Co., Envelopes for Circuit Clerk	38.84
Sikeston Herald, Printing for Recorder	10.00
Buxton-Skinner Stationery Co., Printing	14.80
Inland Printing Co., Printing for County officers	173.47
Illmo Jimplicute, Printing	6.75
Geo. D. Barnard Stationery Co., Supplies & printing	16.50
Hammond-Stephens, Supplies Supt. of Schools	30.29
Buxton-Skinner Stationery Co., Printing & Supplies	8.14
Gardner Office Supply Co., Legal Blanks	4.63
Scott County Democrat, Printing	79.75
J. W. Beall & Son, Supplies & Printing	300.25
Sikeston Standard, Printing	52.75
Standard Printing Co., Printing & Supplies	7.21
J. W. Beall & Son, Supplies	6.25
Scott County Democrat, Printing	143.35
Inland Printing Co., Supplies & Printing	299.86
Mississippi Valley Printing Co., Printing & Stationery	23.35
Hugh-Stephens Printing Co., Printing & Supplies	525.51
Buxton-Skinner Stationery Co., Printing & Supplies	22.53
Skinner-Kennedy Stationery Co., Printing & Supplies	71.58
Scott County Democrat, Printing	121.15
Hugh-Stephens Printing Co., Printing & Supplies	237.10
J. W. Beall & Son, Printing	48.50
Mississippi Valley Printing Co., Supplies for County officers	7.50
Sikeston Herald, Printing	20.26
Sikeston Herald, Supplies School Supt.	.80
Buxton-Skinner Stationery Co., Supplies & Printing	257.49
Hammond-Stephens, Supplies School Supt.	30.29
Fidelity Pencil Co., Pencils	5.19
J. W. Beall & Son, Supplies	225.19
Skinner-Kennedy Stationery Co., Supplies & Printing	36.88
Buxton-Skinner Stationery Co., Printing	15.76
Sikeston Herald, Printing for Sheriff	10.00
Sikeston Herald, Printing for Sheriff	.80
Scott County Democrat, Printing	176.50
Chaffee Signal, Printing	8.00
Chaffee Signal, Printing Financial Statement	480.00
Sikeston Herald, Printing for Sheriff	8.00
Sikeston Herold, Printing for Sheriff	14.00
Illmo Jimplicute, Printing & Supplies	112.55
Mississippi Valley Printing Co., Printing	42.50
Vaco Static Carbon Co., Carbon paper	16.80
Sikeston Standard, Printing	20.50
Scott County Democrat, Supplies & Printing	140.75
J. W. Beall & Son, Supplies & Printing	87.13
Buxton-Skinner Stationery Co., Printing & Supplies	266.41
Chaffee Signal, Printing for Collector	10.00
Skinner-Kennedy, Supplies	7.80
J. W. Beall & Son, Supplies & Printing	175.79
Sikeston Herald, Printing for Collector	15.00
Hugh Stephens Printing Co., Supplies	63.06
Standard Printing Co., Supplies	56.58
Scott County Democrat, Printing	124.50
J. W. Beall & Son, Supplies	3.21
Hugh Stephens, Printing & Supplies	89.24
George D. Barnard Stationery Co., Printing & Supplies	44.05
Sikeston Standard, Printing for County officers	5.25
Sikeston Herald, Printing for County officers	9.00
Buxton-Skinner Stationery Co., Printing for County officers	41.33
Sikeston Herald, Supplies for Sheriff	20.50
Inland Printing Co., Printing & Supplies	69.06
Illmo Jimplicute, Printing	45.95
George D. Barnard, Supplies for Supt. of Schools	29.43
Chaffee Signal, Printing & Supplies	20.00
Skinner-Kennedy, Printing for County Clerk	29.75
Scott County Democrat, Printing for County officers	324.00
	$8,096.36

MISCELLANEOUS EXPENDITURES FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING MARCH 31st., 1928.

George J. Arnold, Freight Bills	$ 175.35
J. Sherwood Smith, Deputy Salary	125.00
J. H. Goodin, Traveling Expenses	52.96
J. C. Diebold, Painting at County Farm	90.00
Montgomery & Son, Transcript State Case	9.12
Benton Hotel, Board of Jurors	26.00
L. A. Diebold, Work at County Farm	94.13
Missouri Public Utilities, Light & Power for Court House	24.48
Remington Typewriter Co., Typewriter	56.75
Southwestern Bell Telephone Co., Phone Rent for Court House	26.50
McDonald Coal Co., Car Coal	106.47
John Spalding, Freight	3.96
J. C. Dierckson, Work at County farm	15.00
Bentzinger Bros. Supplies for Court House	15.44
C. A. Leedy (W. H. Heisserer), Supplies County farm & Jail	55.02
Pittsburg Plate Glass Co., Supplies	66.82
Pittsburg Plate Glass Co., Supplies	13.22
W. H. Heisserer, Commission on Paint	8.00
Joe Rivers, Bounty on 1 Bob Cat Scalp	5.00
August Heeb, Bounty on 1 Bob Cat Scalp	5.00
Lambert Mercantile Co., Supplies for County farm & Jail	5.05
Flossie Brothers, Part payment on Financial statement	75.00
Red Cross Fund, Donation	500.00
W. A. Miller, Supplies for Court house	7.00
John H. Goodin, Expense account	54.23
M. E. Montgomery, Expense Account	40.00
E. L. McClintock, Stenographic work	12.00
Cape Foundry & Machine Shop, Welding pump	8.00
Lambert Mercantile Co., Supplies	39.02
P. H. Boyce Mercantile Co., Supplies	8.96
Remington Typewriter Co., Typewriter ribbons	3.50
Benton Auto Co., Use of Car	4.00
West Disinfect Co., Supplies	20.00
Benton Hotel, Board of Jurors	13.00
Southwestern Bell Telephone Co., Phone Rent for court house	26.50
E. A. Dye, Expense on pump	5.00
E. A. Dye, Expense in State Case	26.40
J. Sherwood Smith, Deputy Salary	125.00
Missouri Utilities Co., Light & Power for Court House	197.50
L. T. Davey, Work at court house	16.85
P. H. Boyce Mercantile Co., Supplies	9.14
J. C. Diebold, Painting Pauper Houses	42.50
Dunbar Mill & Lumber Co., Lumber	3.67
George J. Arnold, Freight, etc.,	7.59
Baker-Bowman Hardware C., Supplies for Sheriff	17.00
T. S. Heisserer, Supplies	376.85
W. H. Heisserer, Supplies	82.40
Marshall Land & Mercantile Co., Supplies	6.31
W. L. LeGrand, Work at court house	7.30
Zeno LeGrand, Repairing screens	11.50
George J. Arnold, Freight Bills	170.04
George J. Arnold, Stamp Bill	5.00
L. A. Diebold, Work at county farm	19.20
Louis Dannenmuller, Right of Way	76.00
J. H. Goodin, Expenses	84.26
E. A. Dye, Freight Bills	38.90
J. Sherwood Smith, Deputy Salary	125.00
C. W. Gray, Gravel on Illmo road	300.00
W. H. Heisserer, Supplies for County Farm & Jail	38.71
Southwester Bell Telephone Co., Phone Rent for Court House	33.59
Victor Bollinger, Work at jail	1.50
J. C. Diebold, Painting at County Farm	65.00
American Disinfect Co., Disinfect for court house	104.46
American Disinfect Co., Disinfect for court house	68.20
J. C. Dierckson, Work at County farm	7.00
Sikeston Laundry, Laundry for petit Jury beds	3.57
E. A. Dye, Cost painting boilers	36.75
Chaffee Hardware Co., Supplies	7.05
Lambert Mercantile Co., Supplies	1.75
Lambert Mercantile Co., Supplies	5.75
Lambert Mercantile Co., Supplies	1.35
A. J. Delay, 3 Wolf & 5 Bob Cat Scalps	55.00
J. H. Goodin, Expense	48.46
Missouri Public Utilities, Light & Power	16.83
L. T. Davey, Plumbing at Jail	14.23
E. A. Dye, Concreting at Jail	39.83
Dunbar Mill & Lumber Co., Lumber for jail	1.62
J. T. Martin, Brushes for Court House	5.25
Midland Chemical Co., Supplies	19.50
T. S. Heisserer & Co., Supplies	11.90
Royalton Energy Coal Co., Car coal	139.07
J. I. Holcomb, Disinfect for court house	23.20
Remington Typewriter Co., Typewriter ribbons	4.85
Fuller Brush Co., Brushes	3.10
W. H. Heisserer, Supplies	85.94
J. C. Diebold, Work at county farm	15.00
Russell Bros. Screen wire	52.00
Southwestern Bell Telephone Co., Phone rent	29.25
E. A. Dye, Trip to Fulton	71.60
J. Sherwood Smith, Deputy salary	125.00
Missouri Public Utilities, Light & Power	194.35
Worrell Manufacturing Co., Disinfect for court house	238.78
J. Sherwood Smith, Balance on Financial statement	75.00
George J. Arnold, Cost Bills	740.35
J. H. Goodin, Expense account	47.35
M. E. Montgomery, Expense account	21.96
Hahs Machine Shop, Bushing for pump	5.25
Remington Typewriter Co., Carbon paper	4.50
C. H. Yansen, Supplies	5.00
Germo Manufacturing Co., Supplies	65.11
W. H. Heisserer, Supplies	121.36
W. H. Heisserer, Supplies	.76
Morris Disinfect Co., Supplies	193.64
Dunbar Mill & Lumber Co., Lumber	1.42
Southwester Bell Telephone Co., Phone rent	29.25
Missouri Utilities, Light & Power	86.48
L. A. Diebold, Work at county farm	35.40
L. A. Diebold, Work at county farm	42.50
J. C. Diebold, 50 gallons paint for county farm	201.25
E. A. Dye, Amt. paid T. Drexler for welding	22.50
J. W. Smith, Brooms	3.50
Bentzinger Bros., Brushes for Court house	10.20
Standard Oil Co., Kerosene for Sheriff residence	6.30
J. Sherwood Smith, Deputy Salary	125.00
George J. Arnold, Cost Bills	429.85
George J. Arnold, Freight Bills	23.75
E. A. Dye, Repairs on jail	401.80
Brown Coal Co., 1 car coal	153.27
Missouri Utilities Co., Light & Power	87.94
J. I. Holcomb & Co., Supplies	6.48
J. C. Diebold, Painting at county farm	48.00
J. C. Dierckson, Work at county farm	76.40
J. N. Legrand, Work at county farm	86.35
W. H. Heisserer, Supplies for County farm	45.04
Remington Typewriter Co., Supplies	21.10
Lamber Mercantile Co., Linseed oil	11.38
W. A. Miller, Supplies for jail	10.80
W. C. Porter, Board of petit jury	13.00
Southwestern Bell Telephone Co., Phone rent for court house	29.25
Benton Hotel, Board of petit jury	6.50
T. S. Heisserer, Shingles for County farm	67.59
Floy Smith, Stenographic fees	2.85
J. H. Goodin, Expense Account	56.00
M. E. Montgomery, Expense account	32.62
J. Sherwood Smith, Deputy Salary	125.00
E. A. Dye, Kindling wood for court house	12.00
E. A. Dye, Supplies for county farm & Jail	59.41
E. A. Dye, Attending court	174.40
Missouri Public Utilities Co., Light & Power	94.25
Southwestern Bell Telephone Co., Phone rent	29.25
M. E. Montgomery, Expense Account	22.50
W. H. Heisserer, Supplies	30.43
Dr. U. P. Haw, Expense Account	75.00
J. C. Diebold, Labor & Material for County farm	253.55
J. H. Goodin, Expense Account	49.65
George J. Arnold, Freight Bills	158.45
George J. Arnold, Cost of Selling Warrants & Stamps	27.00
J. Sherwood Smith, Postage, Freight, etc	57.40
George J. Arnold, Expense	9.36
J. H. Goodin, Expense	53.41
M. E. Montgomery, Expense in change of Venue cases	5.00
Southwestern Bell Telephone Co., Phone rent	29.25
E. A. Dye, Lights for Jail	28.80
Germo Manufacturing Co., Disinfect Court house	25.23
Germo Manufacturing Co., Disinfect Court house	297.76
J. C. Dierckson, Labor at county farm	16.00
E. W. Heisler, Checkwriter for Collector	35.86
W. H. Heisserer, Supplies	170.14
E. A. Dye, Sheets for Jury room	22.32
Illmo Electric Co., Light Bulbs	26.03
E. A. Dye, Repairs for Jail	65.66
T. B. Dudley, Stamp Bill	37.50
J. C. Diebold, Work at County Farm	25.00
Tillie Witt, Salary as County Health Nurse	70.00
Thad Stubbs, Salary as Sanitary Engineer	68.33
Dr. U. P. Haw, Salary as County Doctor	14.39
Moore-Harris Abstract Co., Checking ownership	5.00
Wm. Smith, J. P. Cost in Watkins case	3.75
Jos. W. Meyers, J. P. Cost in Watkins case	2.95
Brown Jewell, Cost in Watkins case	5.40
Erly May Holbrook, Witness fee Watkins case	3.00
Grover Watkins, Witness fee Watkins case	3.00
Ora Yenglin, Witness fee Watkins case	3.00
Waymen Holbrook, Witness fee Watkins case	3.00
Lunn Miller, Witness fee Watkins case	3.00
Van Watkins, Witness fee Watkins case	3.00
Missouri Public Utilities Co., Light & Power	98.36
J. H. Goodin, Expense Account	52.42
Dr. U. P. Haw, Expense County Health Doctor	50.00
Tillie Witt, Expense County Health Nurse	50.00
Thad Stubbs, Expense County Sanitary Engineer	50.00
Dr. U. P. Haw, Miscellaneous Expense	20.30
George Arnold, Expense for county	94.66
Neva S. Carlson, Transcribing testimony at Inquest	48.00
W. H. Heisserer, Supplies for court house & County farm	114.83
George J. Arnold, Freight bills	565.44
W. C. Porter, Meals for Petit jury	6.50
Missouri Utilities Co., Light & Power	104.15
J. I. Holcomb, Mfg. Co., Supplies for jail	36.45
J. C. Diebold, Work at county farm	10.00
Southwestern Bell Telephone Co., Phone rent	29.25
W. A. Miller, Supplies for Sheriff	9.90
Germo Manufacturing Co., Disinfect for court house	295.50
E. A. Dye, Expense in apprehending highwaymen	80.09
T. F. Henry, Postage	43.10
Missouri Utilities Co., Light & Power	126.12
John H. Goodin, Expense	49.12
M. E. Montgomery, Postage	16.50
Cecil Reed, Postage	52.70
Lawrence Strauck, Watermelon Telephone rent	62.00
George J. Arnold, Freight Bills, Hauling Coal etc	413.29
Tillie Witt, Expense County Health Nurse	50.00
Thad Stubbs, Expense County Sanitary Engineer	50.00
Dr. U. P. Haw, Expense County Helath Doctor	50.00
Dr. U. P. Haw, Miscellaneous expense	5.73
W. H. Heisserer, Supplies County farm	128.04
J. C. Diebold, Work at county farm	30.47
Emil Steck, Light bulbs	3.32
Southwestern Bell Telephone Co., Phone rent	29.25
T. S. Heisserer & Co., Supplies	87.81
Minter-Smith & Heaney, Car coal	77.42
Cleno Chemical Co., Disinfect County Farm	55.00
Thos. B. Dudley, Postage	59.92
J. Sherwood Smith, Freight, Telephone & Postage	36.63
E. A. Dye, Supplies for jail	35.86
E. A. Dye, Repairs on jail	4.55
E. A. Dye, Welding at Jail	15.00
E. A. Dye, Amt. paid out for light bulbs	14.46
W. H. Heisserer, Supplies for County farm	97.52
Remington Typewriter Co., Typewriter	66.25
J. C. Diebold, Work at county farm	27.50
Cecil C. Reed, Express on typewriter	1.19
M. E. Montgomery, Expense in change of venue cases	7.50
George J. Arnold, Freight on coal & hauling	300.03
George J. Arnold, Supplies purchased	21.71
Dr. U. P. Haw, Expense County Health Doctor	50.00
Tillie Witt, Expense County Health Nurse	50.00
Tad Stubbs, Expense County Health Engineer	50.00
Dr. U. P. Haw, Miscellaneous Expense	5.25
L. C. Gangle, Bounty on bob cat scalp	5.00
A. C. Shipman, Bounty on bob cat scalp	5.00
J. C. Mitchell, Bounty on bob cat kittens	2.50
Henry Dudley, Bounty on bob cat Scalp, (6)	30.00
Jesse Jackson, Bounty on bob cat scalp	5.00
Oscar Caldwell, Bounty on bob cat scalp	5.00
Raymond Kapfer, Bounty on bob cat scalp	5.00
R. R. Finley, Bounty on bob cat scalp	5.00
Louis B. Halter, Bounty on bob cat scalp	5.00
Henry Carson, Bounty on bob cat scalp	5.00
Henry Carson, Bounty on bob cat scalp	5.00
E. George, Bounty on bob cat scalp	5.00
Missouri Utilities, Light & Power	146.01
B. L. Pirtle, Bounty on bob cat scalp, (3)	15.00
Dr. S. J. Wade, Local Registrar	19.00
Charles E. Harris, Local Registrar	7.00
Dr. G. S. Cannon, Local Registrar	29.25
W. E. Derris, Local Registrar	70.00
Dr. H. V. Ashley, Local Registrar	12.75
Dr. Wm. H. Burton, Local Registrar	16.25
Cyril Dirnberger, Local Registrar	4.75
Emil Steck, Postage	150.00
Burroughs Adding Machine Co., 1 Adding Machine ribbon	1.00
Minter-Smith & Heaney, 1 car Coal	93.60
Minter-Smith & Heaney, 1 car Coal	93.96
J. H. Goodin, Expense Account	50.46
Southwestern Bell Telephone Co., Phone rent for court house	29.25
Dr. G. A. Sample, Services in murder case	25.00
H. D. Rodgers, Agt., Premium on policies	155.00
Dr. W. O. Finney, Services in murder case	25.00
Remington Typewriter Co., Supplies	10.50
George J. Arnold, Freight, etc	12.27
Dr. Frazier, Local Registrar	11.25
G. A. Sample, Local Registrar	30.00
Brown Jewell, Taking prisoner to St. Louis	18.00
J. Sherwood Smith, Amt. paid out for floor sweep	7.00
Geo. Buchanan, Expense trip to St. Louis	30.71
R. L. Harrison, Expense Engineering D. D., No. 18	125.00
R. L. Harrison, Expense Engineering D. D., No. 18	55.00
George J. Arnold, Freight Bills	147.85
George J. Arnold, Expense closing D. D. account in Bank	25.00
John H. Goodin, Expense account	56.03
Southwestern Bell Telephone Co., Phone rent	29.25
A. P. Summers Broom Co., Brooms for court house	33.00
L. A. Diebold, Work & material at county farm	7.80
W. A. Miller, Supplies for Court house	19.70
J. C. Diebold, Work at county farm	10.00
Geo. Bean, Expense attending convention	42.32
Wade Malcolm, R. R. Fare for pauper	9.28
E. A. Dye, Amt. paid out for labor at court house	.50
Dr. U. P. Haw, Traveling expense Co. health Physician	50.00
Tillie Witt, Traveling expense Co. health Nurse	50.00
Thad Stubbs, Traveling expense Co. health Engineer	50.00
W. H. Heisserer, Supplies	38.28
George J. Arnold, Cost Bills	542.35
Alice G. Lee, Treas., Cost Bills	75.85
George J. Arnold, Cost Bills	465.55
J. W. Parker, Expense in D. D. No. 17 & 18	72.75
R. L. Harrison, Expense in D. D. No. 17 & 18	18.25
Wm. Pfefferkorn, Expense in D. D. No. 17 & 18	52.75
F. W. Dunn, Expense in D. D. No. 17 & 18	77.75
Remington Rand Business Service, Ribbons for Circuit Clerk	3.50
T. F. Henry, Freight & Drayage	7.70
Cecil C. Reed, Amt. paid out for express	.95
Minter-Smith & Heaney, 1 car coal	72.50
Missouri Utilities Co., Light & Power	151.18
George J. Arnold, Freight Bills	41.40
Total	$18,137.01

Keep of County Patients at Asylum, Reform School, Hospital, Poor Farm

Accounts paid for Coffins, Supplies, etc., for pauper and Insane Persons.

State Hospital No. 4	$108.00	6 Mo. Keep of John Cobb
	108.00	6 Mo. Keep of J. W. Evans
	108.00	6 Mo. Keep of W. Urhahn
	108.00	6 Mo. Keep of Reece Robinson
	108.00	6 Mo. Keep of Mrs. Tisdel
	108.00	6 Mo. Keep of W. Ryker
	108.00	6 Mo. Keep of Alex Edwards
	108.00	6 Mo. Keep of Ina Bryant

Farmers & Merchants Ba
Hospital Bills:
J. W. Allen, Hospital Bills
Andy Roberts, Hospital B
G. R. Donnell, Hospital Bi

State Hospital No. 4
Mo. Colony Feeble mind
State Hospital No. 4
Mo. State Sanatarium
Mo. School for Deaf
State Industrial School
State Hospital No. 1

John Spaulding

E. A. Dye

C. D. M. Gupton

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J. H. Welsh

Marshall Land & Mercant
Mrs. Clyde Johnson, Supp
T. S. Heisserer, 1 Coffin
Chaffee Hwd. Co., 1 coffin
H. F. Stubbs

Mrs. Joe Ellis, 1 Coffin fo
C. W. Russeler, 1 Coffin
C. W. Smoot, Supplies for
Buckner-Ragsdale, Clothi
Wade Malcolm, Board for
J. H. Hayden, Taking man
V. A. Tubbs, Taking Mr. C
Mrs. F. Pobst, R. R. fare t
N. E. Fuchs, Supplies for
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Mrs. J. Ellis, 1 pauper coff
L. S. Brock, Barber work f
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Dr. W. O. Finney, Examin
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Persons Receivin

Name
Maude Davis
Martin Menz
Frank Vangundy
A. Bonehardt
Mrs. Jim Boggs
Turner Cannon
Minerva Penn
Adeline Douglas
Mrs. J. W. Evans
Charles Fisher
W. J. Gibbs
J. H. Heck
Fannie Gibbs
Mrs. A. Harrison
Mrs. B. Hines
Mrs. Nora Jamerson
Louis LaValle
Amanda Livingston
Ples Lemons
Pat Murphy
Martin Menz
Walter Mott
Lucy Perry
Katie McManus
Mrs. J. J. Wehling
Mrs. Ruth Grisham
Mrs. J. W. Henly
Enoch McCormick
Arthur Reed
Floyd Knopp
Charles Hamm
Mrs. Charles Hamm
Mary Cruse
R. Renolds
Ed Guthrie
J. C. Summers
Gib Cash
Nannie Ohlers
O. J. Eldridge
N. Johnson
Mrs. Mary Thomas
Wm. Reubel
W. C. Glascow
Sam Matthews
Jess Williams
Don Williams
Lissie Sales
John Sanders
H. Sample & Wife
Florence Scarbrough
Martin Speak
R. Sturgeon & Wife
D. E. White
Mrs. W. L. Wood
Mrs. Mary Wolfe

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Farm		7.00
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Thomas		15.00
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Robert Worley	4 Warrants	80.00
Malissa Watson	4 Warrants	60.00
Susan Shankles	1 Warrant	15.00
P. N. Griffin	4 Warrants	55.00
Lenora Warner	4 Warrants	40.00
Mrs. D. Collier	1 Warrant	20.00
J. W. Stuckey	4 Warrants	40.00
Mrs. S. Britton	1 Warrant	6.00
Mrs. A. Bonehardt	3 Warrants	30.00
Mrs. E. Braaton	2 Warrants	30.00
Mrs. A. Speck	3 Warrants	30.00
Charles Simpson	4 Warrants	40.00
Mary Pate	3 Warrants	45.00
Bob Hull	1 Warrant	10.00
Amos Brewer	1 Warrant	10.00
Arch Murphy	1 Warrant	10.00
Grant White	1 Warrant	10.00
Lee Sanders	1 Warrant	10.00
Jess Benson	1 Warrant	10.00
Roscoe Foster	1 Warrant	10.00
W. W. Smith	1 Warrant	10.00
Total		$2,450.00

Expenditures Paid other than by County Warrants

Inquests paid:		
Alfreda Driskill	$ 9.00	
Claude Luter	13.00	
Dorothy Bean	35.75	
Clifford Jackson	34.44	
Lawrence Lux	28.71	
Sam Wire	8.84	
Grant Hoover	6.00	
Lizzie Martin	6.00	
Wm. Easter	7.00	
Billie J. McVey	6.44	
James Matthews	7.00	
George Moore	5.00	
Cassie Ward	5.00	
Leander Verse	6.00	
Francis Scherer	9.64	
Minnie M. Harmon	9.16	
Tom Clark	49.06	$ 246.04
Stenographers Salary & Expense		945.86
Petit Jury Warrants & Interest on same		4,259.00
Grand Jury Warrants paid		536.10
Total		$5,987.00

ROAD CONSTRUCTION FUND

RECEIPTS.

To Balance on Hand since last statement		$62,128.05
To Current Taxes collected	$24,746.75	
To Current Merchants tax collected	749.42	
To Current R. R. Teleg. & Telephone	9,905.30	
To Back Real Estate 1927 & Prior years	6,014.28	
To Back Personal 1927 & Prior years	534.43	
To Interest on same	1,216.84	
To Bank of Benton, Int. on daily deposit	61.31	
To H. F. Kirkpatrick, S. D. C.	854.21	
To Bank of Benton, (Transfer from New York Bank)	41,000.00	$85,082.54

DISBURSEMENTS.

By Bonds, Interest Coupons paid	$ 55,550.00	
By Exchange & Commission	159.00	
By Transfer New York Bank To Bank of Benton	41,000.00	
	$ 96,709.00	$147,210.59
By Balance on Hand March 31st, 1928	50,501.59	$147,210.59
	$147,210.50	$147,210.59

SIKESTON SPECIAL ROAD DISTRICT

RECEIPTS.

To Balance on Hand last statement		$ 705.68
To Taxes collected since last statement		10,511.68

DISBURSEMENTS

By Warrants Paid since last statement	$ 8,810.94	
By Balance on Hand, March 31st, 1928	2,406.42	
	$11,217.36	$11,217.36

DIEHLSTADT SPECIAL ROAD DISTRICT

RECEIPTS.

To Balance on hand last statement		$ 140.07
To Taxes Collected since last statement		1,683.34

DISBURSEMENTS

By Warrants Paid since last statement	$1,663.64	
By Balance on Hand March 31st, 1928	159.77	
	$1,823.41	$1,823.41

ORAN SPECIAL ROAD DISTRICT

RECEIPTS.

To Balance on Hand last statement		$ 488.47
To Taxes collected since last statement		3,184.09

DISBURSEMENTS

By Warrants paid & filed	$2,516.81	
By Balance on hand March 31, 1928	1,155.75	
	$3,672.56	$3,672.56

BLODGETT SPECIAL ROAD DISTRICT

RECEIPTS.

To Taxes Collected		$3,480.63

DISBURSEMENTS

By Warrants Paid & Filed	$3,309.70	
By Balance on hand, March 31st, 1928	170.93	
	$3,480.63	$3,480.63

SPECIAL ROAD & BRIDGE FUND

RECEIPTS

To Balance on hand last statement		$ 4,549.45
To Current taxes collected	$18,289.65	
To Current Merchants tax collected	444.00	
To Current R. R. Telg. & Telephone Tax collected	12,380.52	
To Back Real Estate Taxes 1927 & Prior years	5,418.64	
To Back Personal Taxes 1927 & Prior years	562.39	
To Interest on same	1,477.95	
To A. D. Daniel, refund from Standard Oil Co.	11.39	
To Barney Anslem, Poll Tax collected	60.00	
To Amt. over-paid on Warrants	29,956.67	$68,601.21

DISBURSEMENTS

By Warrants paid, as per list	$73,140.00	
By Interest paid on Warrants	10.66	
	$73,150.66	$73,150.66

Expenditures out of Special Road & Bridge Fund.

Eugene Bertrand, Work in District No. 4	$ 28.00
Weber Implement Co., Machinery	5,937.90
Austin-Western Machinery Co., Machinery	1,387.01
Benton Auto Co., Supplies	1.37
F. W. Diebold, Blacksmith work	1.00
A. B. Rodgers, Salary	110.83
Sikeston Special Road	323.30
A. D. Daniels, Salary	120.00

A. D. Daniels, Salary (office help)	160.00
A. D. Daniels, Expense	2.52
Jake Laub, Salary	120.00
A. W. Rodgers, Salary	111.68
Wm. Mason, Helping Surveyor	38.06
Zeno Legrand, Helping Surveyor	58.46
Joe Butler, Helping Surveyor	3.00
Edw. J. Seyer, Work on Road District No 1	491.98
John Gosche, Work on Road District No. 2	537.19
Harris Bissell, Work on Bridge District	204.33
Harris Bissell, Dynamite	3.93
Charles Slinkard, Work in road district No. 3	335.40
Charles Schoen, Work in road district No. 4	240.50
A. B. Greer, Work in road district No. 5	169.90
A. B. Greer, Work in road district No. 5	189.00
J. A. Inman, Work in road district No. 6	144.50
Barney Anslem, Work in road district No. 7	34.50
W. A. Parker, Work in road district No. 8	152.40
Walter G. Irwin, Work in road district No. 9	107.50
Harris Bissell, Work in road district No. 10	243.50
Otto Bugg, Work in road district No. 11	245.00
Elmer Grant, Work in road district No. 13	127.00
A. S. Aloe, Supplies	4.95
Dunbar Mill & Lbr. Co., Lumber for District No. 4	14.58
Dunbar Mill & Lbr. Co., Lumber for District No. 4	17.92
Anderson Oil Co., Oil and Gas	111.75
Lambert Mercantile Co., Nails	3.50
Toledo Pressed Steel Co., Torches	14.25
P. E. Eldridge, Oil & Gas	3.30
Austin Western Machinery Co., Supplies	33.75
Standard Oil Co., Oil & Gas	8.80
Austin-Western Road Machinery Co., Supplies	3.75
A. A. Grann, Road work	36.00
Austin-Western Road Machinery Co., Supplies	50.00
Austin-Western Road Machinery Co., Supplies	16.00
Bahn Bros., Supplies	13.27
A. D. Daniels, Advance on salary	100.00
F. X. Schwartz, Part Payment on Warrant No. 26265	2,416.00
George J. Arnold, Part payment on Warrant No. 26265	1,509.40
Louis Gosche, Part payment on Warrant No. 26265	1,006.25
Albert Schwartz, Part payment on Warrant No. 26265	327.00
Rosa Enderlee, Part payment on Warrant No. 26265	717.35
A. D. Daniels, Expense & Phone rent	5.27
A. D. Daniels, Salary	150.00
A. Gnann, Road work	38.32
E. E. Grant, Road work in District No. 12	75.00
Barney Anslem, Road work in District No. 7	94.00
Edw. Seyer, Road work in District No. 1	468.37
John Gosche, Road work in District No. 2	241.59
Charles Slinkard, Road work in District No. 3	296.67
Charles Schoen, Road work in District No. 4	234.55
F. W. Diebold, Sharpening blades	1.20
A. B. Greer, Work in District No. 5	188.60
J. A. Inman, Work in District No. 6	189.00
Walter G. Irwin, Work in District No. 9	394.97
Harris Bissell, Work in District No. 10	357.49
Otto Bugg, Work in District No. 11	273.34
Anderson Oil Co., Oil & Gas	108.40
Cape Oil Co., Oil	1.60
F. W. Diebold, Shovel handle	.60
C. A. Boardman, Work in District No. 13	92.00
Austin-Western Road Machinery Co., Supplies	12.90
J. D. Adams & Co., Supplies	5.60
Austin-Western Road Machinery Co., Supplies	88.74
J. D. Adams & Co., Supplies	75.20
Southeast Mo. Machine Shop, Supplies	5.75
Steel Products Corp., Supplies	144.90
Pierce Petroleum Corp., Supplies	23.20
Kelso Oil Co., Oil	101.39
Corrugated Culvert Co., Supplies	4.92
Austin-Western Road Machinery Co., Supplies	6.86
W. A. Parker, Work in Road District No. 8	271.80
A. B. Greer, Work In Road District No. 5	189.84
Jake Laub, Salary	23.00
A. W. Rodgers, Salary	113.00
Bank of Benton, Advance on Mason's Salary	25.00
Wm. Mason, Salary	65.00
Zeno Legrand, Salary	80.00
Mrs. C. Cummins, Right of Way Damages	500.00
E. A. Dye, Expense of handling above account	10.00
A. D. Daniels, Salary	150.00
George J. Arnold, Advance on Daniel's salary	100.00
A. D. Daniel, Expense	4.65
Jake Laub, Salary	120.00
A. W. Rodgers, Salary	112.44
J. W. Mason, Salary	44.24
Zeno Legrand, Salary	80.00
Edw. Seyer, Work in Road District No. 1	326.45
John Gosche, Work in Road District No. 2	123.53
Charles Slinkard, Work in Road District No. 3	106.68
Charles Schoen, Work in Road District No. 4	232.38
Dunbar Mill & Lbr. Co., Lumber	57.96
A. B. Greer, Work in Road District No. 5	60.00
J. A. Inman, Work in Road District No. 6	131.00
W. A. Parker, Work in Road District No. 8	117.60
Walter Irwin, Work in Road District No. 9	248.00
Benton Bank, Amt. Paid Wm. Mason	25.00
H. Bissell, Work in road District No. 10	163.50
Otto Bugg, Work in Road District No. 11	218.30
Elmer E. Grant, Work in Road District No. 12	46.00
C. A. Boardman, Work in road district No. 13	59.00
Dunbar Mill & Lbr. Co., Lumber	82.91
H. Bissell, Lumber furnished	150.00
Austin-Western Road Machinery Co., Supplies	35.00
Bahn Bros. Hwd. Co., Supplies	2.05
Anderson Oil Co., Oil & Gas	93.60
Maurer Auto Co., Supplies	3.00
Standard Oil Co., Oil & Gas	3.55
F. W.Diebold, Blacksmith work	1.20
W. H. Heisserer, Supplies	1.79
Standard Oil Co., Oil & Gas	19.70
A. D. Daniels, Salary	245.67
John H. Goodin, Jr., Helping surveyor	2.50
Joe Bucher, Helping Surveyor	2.50
Jake Laub, Salary	120.00
A. W. Rodgers, Salary	$113.00
Zeno Legrand, Salary	80.00
Wm. Mason, Salary	70.00
Ben Eastman, Paid for Wm. Mason	20.00
James Farris, Painting Bridges	11.25
Edward Seyer, Work in road district No. 1	507.40
John Gosche, Work in road District No. 2	201.86
Harris Bissell, Work on Bridges	94.35
H. Bissell, Supplies	7.74
A. B. Greer, Work in road district No. 5	207.75
J. A. Inman, Work in road district No. 6	176.60
Barney Anselm, Work in road district No. 7	59.00
Charles Slinkard, Work in road district No. 3	239.40
Charles Schoen, Work in road district No. 4	126.20
Walter G. Irwin, Work in road district No. 9	124.60
W. A. Parker, Work in road district No. 10	100.40
H. Bissell, Work in road district No. 10	127.58
H. Bissell, Balance on Bdge. Contract	650.00
Otto Bugg, Work in road district No. 11	111.39
C. A. Boardman, Work in road district No. 13	71.00
Standard Oil Co., Gas & Oil	4.05
P. E. Eldridge, Supplies	.70
W. H. Heisserer, Supplies	4.13
Dunbar Mill& Lbr. Co., Lumber	3.20
Dunbar Mill & Lbr., Co., Lumber for District No. 4	29.45
F. W. Diebold, Blacksmith work	5.55
A. J. Allen, Blacksmith work	1.50
J. D. Adams & Co., Blades for grader	77.10
Wm. C. Arnold, Gas	81.60
Anderson Oil Co., Gas & Oil	140.00
A. S. Aloe & Co., Supplies	16.72
Farmers & Merchants Bank, Advance to H. Bissell	245.00
A. D. Daniel, Expense	7.04
A. D. Daniel, Salary	138.90
Jake Laub, Salary	120.00
A. W. Rodger, Salary	110.00
Wm. Mason, Salary	40.00
Ben Eastman, Assignment on Wm. Mason's Salary	20.00
Zeno Legrand, Salary	80.00
A. A. Ganann, Work on road	59.50
L. B. McGill, Painting Bridges	116.50
D. O. Woods, Painting Bridges	63.00
Edw. Seyer, Road work in District No. 1	785.87
John Gosche, Road work in District No. 2	389.84
Charles Slinkard, Road work in District No. 3	479.76
Charles Schoen, Road work in District No. 4	184.96
A. B. Greer, Road work in District No. 5	443.75
J. A. Inman, Road work in District No. 6	312.00
Barney Anslem, Road work in District No. 7	278.80
W. A. Parker, Road work in District No. 8	208.00
W. G. Irwin, Road work in District No. 9	278.53
H. Bissell, Road work in District No. 10	617.07
Otto Bugg, Road work in District No. 11	294.24
E. E. Grant, Road work in District No. 12	17.60

C. A. Boardman, Road work in District No. 13	146.00
H. Bissell, Bridge work	841.40
Bahn Bros. Hwd. C., Supplies	48.00
Southeast Mo. Lbr. Co., Supplies Highway department	9.15
Chaffee Hwd. Co., Supplies	1.10
J. D. Adams & Co., Supplies	4.98
Austin-Western Road Machinery Co., Drag blades	50.02
Dunbar Mill & Lbr. Co., Lumber for road district No. 7	85.99
Kelso Oil Co., Grease & Oil	89.40
Dunbar Mill & Lbr. Co., Lumber for roads	9.00
Dunbar Mill & Lbr. Co., Lumber	25.60
Standard Oil So., Oil & Gas	28.11
Lincoln Steel & Forging Co., Maintainers	64.00
Ora Niswonger, Piling for road	18.00
Lamber Mercantile Co., Shovel for county	1.25
W. H. Heisserer, file	.89
Corrugated Culvert Co., Supplies	19.50
Austin-Western Road Machinery Co., Culverts	1,854.81
Austin-Western Road Machinery Co., Balance on culverts	100.00
J. R. Ryerson & Son, Supplies	49.22
Peter Wamser, Seed for road levee	25.00
Anderson Oil Co., Oil & Gas	140.40
F. W. Diebold, Blacksmithing	1.85
P. E. Eldridge, Valve	.50
W. I. Fletcher, Blacksmith work	.75
T. S. Heisserer & Co., Nails	.50
Marshall Land & Mercantile Co., Sand for base line road	200.00
A. D. Daniel, Salary & Expense	244.23
A. D. Daniel, Postage	1.00
Jake Laub, Salary	123.00
A. W. Rodgers, Salary	110.00
Wm. Mason Salary	80.00
Ben Eastman, Assignment (Wm. Mason's salary)	20.00
Zeno Legrand, Salary	90.00
Charles Schoen, Work in road district No. 4	257.34
Harris Bissell, Work on Bridge	239.95
Harris Bissell, Work on Bridge	44.28
Harris Bissell, Part payment on Material for Bridge	200.00
Harris Bissell, Road work in district No. 10	391.30
A. A. Gnann, Road work	12.00
L. B. McGill, Painting bridges	125.00
D. O. Woods, Painting Bridges	60.00
D. B. Perkins, Assignment on D. O. Wood's salary	15.00
Edw Seyer, Road work in District No. 1	354.10
John Gosche, Road work in District No. 2	68.20
John Gosche, Work on Blomeyer road	442.60
T. S. Heisserer, Dynamite	62.63
Charles Slinkard, Work in road District No. 3	246.28
A. B. Greer, Work in road district No. 5	335.60
J. A. Inman, Work in road district No. 6	224.40
Barney Anselm, Work in road district No. 7	249.20
A. S. Brown, Work in road district No. 7	69.50
W. A. Parker, Work in road districtNo.8	86.80
W. G. Irwin, Work in road district No. 9	758.54
Otto Bugg, Work in road district No. 11	142.70
Elmer Grant, Work in road district No. 12	47.50
Elmer Frazier, ½ cost in repairing bridge	34.75
W. C. Arnold, Lumber for county	38.64
W. A. Miller, Supplies	18.10
W. H. Heisserer, Supplies	13.03
C. A. Boardman, Road work in District No. 13	54.00
F. W. Diebold, Blacksmith work	6.85
J. D. Adams & Co., Supplies	37.29
Anderson Oil Co., Oil & Gas	229.32
Dunbar Mill & Lbr. Co., Lumber	119.55
Taylor-Masterson & Linson, Supplies	14.65
Steel Products Co., Supplies	11.51
Standard Oil Co., Gasoline	7.80
P. E. Eldridge, Repairing motor	3.20
A. D. Daniel, Salary & Expense	224.52
A. D. Daniel, Postage	10.49
A. A. Gnann, Work on road	48.25
Jake Laub, Salary	120.00
A. W. Rodgers, Salary	110.00
Will Mason, Salary	35.00
Justrite Oil Co., Assignment on Wm. Mason's salary	20.00
Ben Eastman, Assignment on Wm. Mason's salary	45.00
Zeno Legrand, Salary	90.00
L. B. McGill, Painting bridges	115.00
D. O. Woods, Painting bridges	75.00
H. A. Loida, Painting bridges	58.00
J. H. Stallings, Painting bridges	58.00
Edw. Seyer, Work in road district No. 1	128.50
John Gosche, Work in road district No. 2	59.90
John Gosche, Work on Blomeyer road	233.50
A. B. Greer, Work in road district No. 5	352.30
Charles Schoen, Work in road district No. 4	247.20
Barney Anslem, Work in road district No. 7	307.50
W. A. Parker, Work in road district No. 8	149.60
Walter G. Irwin, Work in road district No. 9	664.80
Harris Bissell, Work in road district No. 10	308.70
Harris Bissell, Work in road district No. 1	52.50
Harris Bissell, Piling for Bridge	1,169.50
Harris Bissell, Part Payment on Bridge	48.00
J. A. Inman, Road work in District No. 6	226.15
Edw. J. Seyer, Road work in District No. 1	333.96
J. D. Adams & Co., Supplies	5.86
J. D. Adams & Co., Supplies	109.54
Weber Implement Co., Repairs on tractor	8.20
Wm. C. Arnold, Lumber	340.55
Southeast Missouri Lumber Co., Lumber	9.02
F. W. Diebold, Blacksmith work	1.90
Anderson Oil Co., Oil & Gas	46.80
Sturgeon Service Station, Supplies	1.05
Kelso Oil Co., Grease	2.00
W. H. Heisserer, Supplies	.30
Charles Slinkard, Work in road district No. 3	307.14
Standard Oil Co., Oil & Gas	15.00
A. Baudendistel, Paint for Bridge	7.45
American Asbestos Co., Supplies	150.00
J. D. Adams & Co., Supplies	5.60
St. Louis Material & Supply Co., Supplies	64.11
Bahn Bros., Supplies	6.65
C. A. Boardman, Work in road district No. 13	50.00
Elmer Grant, Work in road district No. 12	89.10
Otto Bugg, Work in road district No. 11	241.20
P. E. Eldridge, Supplies	.60
A. V. Eachus, Freight on tractor	134.92
Edw. Seyer, Road work in district No. 1	424.50
Edw Seyer, Road work in District No. 1	515.22
John Gosche, Road work in District No. 2	20.40
A. A. Gnann, Work on road and amt. paid out	93.52
Zeno Legrand, Salary	90.00
Jake Laub, Salary	123.00
A. W. Rodgers, Salary	110.00
Wm. Mason, Salary	68.74
T. S. Heisserer, Assignment on Wm. Mason's salary	26.26
H. C. Watkins, Assignment on Wm. Mason's salary	5.00
A. D. Daniels, Salary	250.00
A. D. Daniel, Expense	7.06
John Gosche, Road work in district No. 2	748.11
C. A. Boardman, Work in Road District No. 13	129.20
Charles Slinkard, Work in road district No. 2	546.98
Charles Schoen, Graveling Benton-Oran Road	461.50
Charles Schoen, Graveling Glasstetter Hill	94.00
Charles Schoen, Graveling Grogean road	69.10
Charles Schoen, Graveling Road No. 4	219.64
A. B. Greer, Graveling Road No. 5	282.90
J. A. Inman, Graveling Road No. 6	188.10
Barney Anselm, Graveling Road No. 7	199.00
W. A. Parker, Graveling Road No. 8	101.45
J. M. Arnold, Graveling Road No. 8	12.00
W. G. Irwin, Road work in District No. 9	230.20
Harris Bissell, Road work in District No. 10	233.30
Harris Bissell, Graveling road	378.50
Harris Bissell, Bridge work near Crowder	264.94
Otto Bugg, Road work in District 11	297.52
E. E. Grant, Road work in District 12	160.40
C. A. Boardman, Road work in District 13	135.00
D. B. Perkins, Hauling Gravel, & grading	222.00
H. A. Loida, Painting Bridges	78.00
J. H. Stallings, Painting Bridges	78.00
Halleck & Hill Gravel Co., Gravel in District No. 2	113.19
Halleck & Hill Gravel Co., Gravel in District No. 8	111.14
Halleck & Hill Gravel Co., Gravel in District No. 10	323.87
Kelso Oil Co., Gas & Oil	79.08
Austin-Western Road Machinery Co., Repairs	3.24
F. W. Diebold, Repairs	.50
W. C. Arnold, Lumber	94.81
Rudert & Son, Repairs	8.05
Anderson Oil Co., Gas & Oil	93.60
P. E. Eldridge, Supplies	.50
Standard Oil Co., Gas & Oil	36.95
A. S. Aloe & Co., Supplies	30.22
W. A. Miller, Supplies for Bridge	9.75
A. Baundendistel, Supplies for Bridge	32.60
L. B. McGill, Painting Bridges	97.50
D. O. Woods, Painting Bridges	9.00
Jess Doty, Painting Bridges	6.00

D. B. Perkins, Assignment on D. O. Wood's salary	15.00
Louis Albrecht, Stringers for Bridge	19.55
Wm. Uelsman, Cap sills & posts	19.18
Emil Eifert, Hauling logs	12.00
George J. Arnold, Adv. on A. D. Daniel's salary	150.00
A. A. Gnann, Work on road & supplies	12.75
Edw. J. Seyer, Work on road District No. 1	145.15
John Gosche, Work on road District No. 2	138.85
Charles Slinkard, Work on road District No. 3	397.55
A. B. Greer, Work on road District No. 5	169.50
J. A. Inman, Work on road District No. 6	212.80
Barney Anselm, Work on road District No. 7	66.50
W. A. Parker, Work on road District No. 8	79.90
Walter G. Irwin, Work on road District No. 9	133.40
Otto Bugg, Work on road District No. 11	90.00
C. A. Boardman, Work on road District No. 13	99.00
August Roth, Lumber	70.00
W. A. Miller Supplies	9.00
Anderson Oil Co., Gas & Oil	46.80
Bahn Bros. Hdw. Co., Supplies	4.00
Benton Auto Co., Supplies	1.00
A. S. Aloe & Co., Supplies	1.53
J. D. Adams & Co., Supplies	51.30
J. D. Adams & Co., Supplies	36.62
P. E. Eldridge, Supplies	.70
J. D. Adams & Co., Supplies	101.59
Austin-Western Road Machinery Co., Supplies	1,978.30
F. W. Diebold, Blacksmith work	3.00
Weber Implement Co., Supplies	365.08
A. A. Gnann, Work on road	56.00
Jake Laub, Salary	120.50
A. W. Rodgers, Salary	110.56
Wm. Mason, Salary (less Assignment)	40.00
T. S. Heisserer, Assignment Mason's salary	60.00
Zeno Legrand, Salary	90.00
L. B. McGill, Painting Bridges	76.50
Jess Doty, Painting Bridges	39.50
H. Karaker, Painting Bridges	9.00
G. Graham, Painting Bridges	6.00
H. A. Loida, Painting Bridges	52.00
J. H. Stallings, Painting Bridges	52.00
Edw. Seyer, Work in road district No. 1	365.68
Edw. J. Seyer, Work in road district No. 1	116.00
August Roth, Work hauling Gravel	190.72
C. Burger, Hauling gravel	38.00
John Gosche, Work in Road district No. 2	269.90
Charles Slinkard, Work in Road district No. 3	607.95
A. B. Greer, Work in Road district No. 4	265.80
J. A. Inman, Work in Road district No. 5	152.50
Barney Anselm, Work in Road district No.7	24.00
W. A. Parker, Work in Road district No. 8	177.75
H. Bissell, Bridge work	25.10
J. M. Arnold, Dragging road	7.50
Halleck & Hill Gravel Co., Work in road district No. 9	29.20
Walter G. Irwin, Work in road district No. 9	396.40
T. S. Heisserer & Co., Supplies	92.97
H. Bissell, Work in road district No. 10	380.35
Halleck & Hill Gravel Co., Gravel in road district No. 10	99.96
Halleck & Hill Gravel Co., Gravel in road district No. 11	144.77
Otto Bugg, Work in District No. 11	174.00
Otto Bugg, Work in road district No. 11	184.60
Elmer Grant, Work in District No. 12	77.30
Elmer Grant, Work in district No. 12	33.20
C. A. Boardman, Work in District No. 13	168.00
A. Baudendistel, Supplies	45.95
Standard Oil Co., Oil & Gas	35.88
Womacks Drug Store, Supplies	1.30
Sturgeons Service Station, Welding	2.50
Weber Implement Co., Supplies	6.85
Southeast Missouri Lbr. Co., Lumber	22.31
Wiles Chipman Lbr. Co., Lumber	876.10
Bahn Bros. Hwd. Co., Supplies	1.60
J. D. Adams & Co., Supplies	47.80
Anderson Oil Co., Oil & Gas	93.60
W. A. Parker, Work in road district No. 8	89.37
Edw. J. Seyer, Work in road district No. 1	363.88
John Gosche, Work in road district No. 2	455.65
Austin-Western Road Machinery Co., Repairs	45.00
Southeast Mo. Lumber Co., Lumber	2.20
H. Bissell, Adv. on Ramsey Creek Bridge	300.00
Bahn Bros., Supplies	5.75
August Roth, Bridge Lumber	73.92
P. E. Eldridge, Supplies	2.00
John Fabick, Tractor Co.,	82.74
Hahs Machine Works, Repairs	6.75
Frank Lett, Hauling sand in District No. 4	109.00
F. W. Diebold, Repairs	.65
Anderson Oil Co., Oil & Gas	46.80
Standard Oil Co., Gas & Oil	20.04
W. A. Miller, Supplies for bridge painters	23.75
C. A. Boardman, Work in District No. 13	109.00
Otto Bugg, Work in District No. 9	163.00
J. F. Patterson, Work in District No. 9	47.20
Walter G. Irwin, Work in District No. 8	14.00
W. A. Parker, Work in District No. 7	141.00
Barney Anslem, Work in District No. 13	58.50
A. B. Greer, Work in District No. 5	103.40
Charles Slinkard, Work in District No. 3	265.50
L. B. McGill, Painting Bridges	80.00
Jess Doty, Painting Bridges	55.50
H. A. Loida, Painting Bridges	66.00
J. H. Stallings, Painting Bridges	66.00
A. A. Gnann, Work on road	48.00
Jake Laub, Salary	124.45
A. W. Rodgers, Salary	110.00
Wm. Mason, Salary (Less Assignment)	12.00
Zeno Legrand, Salary	90.00
Elmer Grant, Road work in District No. 12	153.20
T. S. Heisserer, Assignment on Mason's salary	60.00
Total	$73,140.00

GENERAL ROAD FUND

Receipts.

To Balance on Hand last statement		$ 6,751.36
To Current taxes collected	$3,659.24	
To Merchants tax collected	88.78	
To R. R. Telg. & Telephone	2,476.12	
To Back Real Estate 1927 & Prior years	1,089.62	
To Back personal 1927 & Prior years	112.52	
To Interest on same	297.79	
To Bank of Benton, Interest on daily deposit	60.37	
To Sam Dannenmueller, 18 Ft. Tile	5.00	
To W. A. Parker, Poll Tax collected	32.00	
To Charles Schoen, Poll Tax collected	32.00	
To H. Bissell, Poll Tax collected	6.05	$ 7,859.49

Disbursements.

By Warrants paid, as per list	$ 8,650.30	
By Balance on hand March 31, 1928	5,960.55	
	$14,610.85	$14,610.85

Expenditures out of General Road Fund for year 1927.

A. D. Daniel, Salary	$ 241.68
A. D. Daniel, Expense	3.55
Jake Laub, Salary	120.00
A. A. Gnann, Repairs	37.49
Edw. Seyer, Work in road district No. 1	380.60
John Gosche, Work in road district No. 2	172.23
Charles Slinkard, Work in road district No. 3	352.50
Charles Schoen, Work in road district No. 4	74.80
A. B. Greer, Work in road district No. 5	148.85
John Inman, Work in road district No. 6	183.35
Barney Anselm, Work in road district No. 7	67.00
W. A. Parker, Work in road district No. 8	103.10
W. G. Irwin, Work in road district No. 9	123.15
H. Bissell, Work in road district No. 10	175.50
Otto Bugg, Work in road district No. 11	226.50
Elmer E. Grant, Work in road district No. 12	209.00
C. A. Boardman, Work in road district No. 13	133.00
C. A. Leedy, Locks	1.50
Dunbar Mill & Lbr. Co., Lumber for road District No. 1	52.48
Pierce Petroleum Co., Oil & Gas	22.59
Remington Typewriter Co., Typewriter	101.25
Weber Implement Co., Supplies	255.00
Austin-Western Machinery Co., Supplies	158.22
J. D. Adams, Machinery	1,925.00
P. E. Eldridge, Oil & Gas	1.45
Frank Carlisle, Lumber	105.00
Dunbar Mill & Lbr. Co., Lumber	48.32
A. D. Daniel, Pt. Payment on salary	100.00
Edw. J. Seyer, Hauling gravel	38.68
Edw. J. Seyer, Hauling gravel	104.00
A. D. Daniel, Balance on salary	100.00
A. D. Daniel, Expense	1.36
Jake Laub, Salary & trip to Cape Girardeau	123.00
A. W. Rodgers, Salary	112.00
Wm. Mason, Salary	55.00
Ben Eastman, Assignment on Wm. Mason's salary	25.00
A. D. Daniel, Office help	80.00
L. B. McGill, Painting Bridges	52.50
Jess Doty, Painting Bridges	49.00
H. Karaker, Painting Bridges	4.50
H. A. Loida, Painting Bridges	40.00
J. H. Stallings, Painting Bridges	40.00
Charles Schoen, Gravel on Finley Hill	78.20
Charles Schoen, Work in Road district No. 4	179.20
H. Bissell, Work in Road District No. 10	68.00
H. Bissell, Work in Road district No. 10	251.70
Zeno Legrand, Salary	90.00
A. D. Daniesl, Salary	247.12
A. D. Dahiel, Expense	3.85
Charles Schoen, Work in Road District No. 4	172.15
Geo. Arnold, Freight on gravel	584.04
A. D. Daniel, Advance on Salary	150.00
L. B. McGill, Painting Bridges	15.00
A. D. Daniel, Balance on salary	100.00
A. D. Daniel, Expense	4.25
Charles Schoen, Road work in District No. 4	167.10
Hahs Machine works, Repairs	14.00
J. A. Inman, Work in road district No. 6	129.50
A. D. Daniel, Expense Attending Engineer's convention	48.04
Total	$8,650.30

COURT HOUSE FUND

Receipts.

To Balance on Hand last statement		$2,073.59
To Current Taxes collected	$2,478.72	
To Current Merchants Tax collected	74.35	
To Curren R. R. Telg. & Telephone Collected	990.51	
To Back Real Estate 1927 & Prior years	293.74	
To Back Personal 1927 & Prior years	27.90	
To Interest on same	60.97	
To Rose Enderle, County Warrant	1,000.00	$4,926.19

Disbursements.

By Bonds Paid	$3,150.00	
By Interest Coupons paid	237.50	
By Balance on Hand March 31, 1928	3,612.28	
	$6,999.78	$6,999.78

Amount of Foreign Insurance Money apportioned to the various School Districts.

For the year 1927.

To Amount to be apportioned		$11,117.15
School District No. 1	$ 64.91	
2	501.39	
3	731.73	
4	197.25	
5	1,357.83	
6	142.53	
7	192.16	
8	120.89	
9	319.41	
10	58.54	
11	55.99	
12	71.26	
13	67.45	
14	129.80	
15	264.69	
17	31.81	
19	355.05	
20	483.58	
21	157.80	
22	338.50	
24	36.90	
25	83.99	
26	20.36	
27	521.75	
28	108.17	
29	162.89	
32	145.07	
34	109.44	
35	371.59	
36	305.42	
37	190.88	
38	128.53	
39	111.99	
42	399.59	
44	39.45	
45	100.53	
46	85.26	
47	39.45	
49	77.63	
50	57.27	
51	78.90	
52	143.80	
53	59.81	
54	1,865.58	
55	64.90	
58	165.43	$11,117.15

Capital School Fund.

Showing name of Borrower, Amount Loaned and Balance on Hand.

Applegate, Edith	$ 933.75
Armstrong, R. M.	1,000.00
Baudendistel, A.	3,000.00
Brannan, J. H.	400.00
Brannan, J. H.	717.61
Brannan, J. H.	500.00
Berendes, Wm.	5,400.00
Clark, Serelda E.	400.00
Dickey, H. K.	1,000.00
Eachus, A. V.	400.00
Felden, Frank	1,000.00
Gangle, John	3,000.00
Harris, C. E.	400.00
Harris, R. P.	1,100.00
Hahn, C. F.	1,600.00
Higgins, R.	650.00
Jansen Gerhardt	1,000.00
King, W. E.	300.00
Lancaster, Ellen	200.00
Lyne, E. S.	600.00
Murphy, F. M.	400.00
McLain, Lora F.	200.00
McClanahan, L. K.	600.00
Miller, J. A.	900.00
Smith, W. B.	800.00
Seitman, Bernard	2,000.00
Slinkard, A. L.	600.00
Shores, Geo. M.	1,000.00
Schetter, Otto	700.00
Scherer, Matilda	175.00
Steck, R. F.	1,200.00
Schriefer, A. & D.	1,000.00
Todd, M. E.	600.00
Taylor, R. A.	100.00
Tirmenstein, M. G.	1,770.00
Urhahn, Jacob	500.00
Unnerstall, Wm.	200.00
Wade, S. J.	3,000.00
Watson, W. H. & Wife	1,200.00
	$40,546.36
By Balance on Hand	55.34
	$40,601.70

TOWNSHIP SCHOOL LOANS

TWP & Range	Name	Amount Loaned	On Hand	Total
26-13 & 14	J. Ed Green	$ 800.00	$ 9.82	$ 809.82
26-14	D. P. Bailey	574.21		574.21
27-13	A. A. Evans	500.00		
27-14	W. H. Stubbs	100.00	9.52	1,009.52
	C. D. Cpmmins	552.00	100.00	1,152.00
27-14	W. H. Stubbs	100.00	9.52	1,009.52
	C. A. Smiley	900.00		
27-15	C. A. Smiley	600.00	234.65	834.65
28-15	D. P. Bailey	225.79		
	Roscoe Sutton	350.00		
	C. D. Cummins	248.00		
	Chris Horrell	150.00	97.83	1,071.62
29-13	W. H. Stubbs	466.28		
	Tom Simmons	600.00	66.85	1,133.13
29-14	J. H. Brannan	540.19	685.00	1,225.19
30-14	Edith Applegate	530.00		
	J. H. Brannon	892.20		1,422.20
28-12	Chris Horrell	850.00	36.30	886.30
28-14	Edith Applegate	536.25		
	Wm. Unnerstall	400.00		936.25
28-15	M. G. Tirmenstein	230.00	607.91	837.91
		$10.044.92	$1,847.88	$11,892.80

Loans from Building Funds of School Districts.

District No. 15		
Charles M. Beardslee	$1000.00	
John Schmidt	1000.00	
John Gangle	800.00	$2,800.00
Amount Capital School Fund loaned		$40,546.36
Amount of Township School Fund loaned		10,044.92
On Hand In Capital School Fund		55.34
On Hand In Township School Fund		1,847.88
		$52,494.50
Amount Loaned from Districts		2,800.00
Total		$55,294.50

MONEY FOR SUPPORT OF PUBLIC SCHOOLS

Showing money received and expended for support of County Public Schools for the fiscal years, from July 1st, 1926 to July 1st, 1927.

July 1st, 1926, Balance on hand		$ 83,150.38

TEACHERS FUND

State fund by Auditor's warrant in 1926	$ 30,727.63	
Interest from County Fund, 1926	4,556.89	
Interest from Township fund 1926	599.77	
Interest from permanent and Special Districts, 1926	4,606.99	
Railroad Taxes	28,182.95	
Current District Taxes, Back Taxes and Tuition	123,266.89	191,941.12

INCIDENTAL FUND

Direct Taxes	$ 63,961.15	
Foreign Insurance (Free Text Book)	13,945.76	77,906.91

BUILDING FUND

Railroad Taxes	13,073.08	
Sale of Bonds and Property	9,500.00	
Current and Back Taxes (Bulding)	40,707.94	
Interest and Sinking	59,385.84	122,666.86
Total Receipts		$475,665.27

EXPENDITURES

For Teachers Salary	$199,718.35
For incidental expenses	83,595.67
For building purposes	109,057.85
Total	$392,371.87
By Cash on Hand July 1st, 1927	83,293.40

Statement of Delinquent Taxes

	State	County	Road	Sp. Road	R. Bond	City	Ct H	School	Total
Real Estate for 1927	$5,056.53	$15,559.38	$1,944.02	$ 9,724.62	$ 7,779.73		$ 779.83	$ 53,111.20	$ 93,955.31
Personal for 1927	486.66	1,497.20	187.15	935.65	748.70		77.85	5,307.29	9,240.50
Railroad, Telg. & Telep.	6.79	20.89	2.61	13.05	10.45	532.04	1.04	69.41	656.28
Income Tax Delinquent	220.96								220.96
Real Est., 1926 & Prior yr.	3,385.23	11,649.01	1,466.09	7,296.22	5,864.32	728.81		45,556.11	75,945.79
Delinquent Merchants Tax		46.00	5.75	28.75	23.00	2.27		210.46	316.23
Total Delinquent Taxes	$9,956.17	$28,772.48	$3,605.62	$17,998.29	$14,426.20	$532.04	$1,589.80	$104,254.47	$180,335.07
Total Delinquent Taxes									$180,335.07
Delinquent Drainage & Levee 1927									21,151.04
Delinquent Drainage & Levee 1926 & Prior years									25,651.33
Total Delinquent Taxes									$227,137.44

STATE OF MISSOURI)
) ss.
COUNTY OF SCOTT)

I, J. Sherwood Smith, Clerk of the County Court, for and within the County and State aforesaid, hereby certify the above and foregoing to be a full and complete copy of statement of receipts and expenditures of the said County of Scott, as made by order of the County Court, and approved by the County court, at its regular May Term, showing Receipts and Expenditures from April 1st, 1927 to March 31st, 1928.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the Seal of the County Court. Done at office in Benton, Missouri, this 7th day of June ,1928.

(SEAL)

J. Sherwood Smith,
County Clerk.

The KITCHEN CABINET

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Think thirty minutes every morning after breakfast of things you have to be glad over. Sit this half hour in a sun bath of cheer. Shut out all thoughts that hurt, from bad liver to false friends.—Doctor Crane.

DELECTABLE DISHES



Try serving the good old wholesome onion in a different way. The following is quite different:

Onion Dumplings.—Cook large white onions until tender, drain and scoop out the centers, chop some pieces of cooked ham, add a few bread crumbs and enough mushroom catsup to moisten and fill this stuffing into the onions. Make a mixture as for baked dumplings, cut into squares, put an onion into each, wrap and pinch the edges and bake until the dumpling is brown: Serve with a tomato sauce.

Fried Parsnips.—For those who do not care for sweet vegetables this dish is most acceptable to those who enjoy parsnips. Slice in shoe-string sized pieces, or short lengths, keeping the pieces even in size, wash well and use just the water that clings to them from the washing. Place over an even heat in a heavy aluminum pan with two tablespoonfuls of butter to a pint of the parsnips. Stir often while cooking and toward the last remove to lower heat. Brown well, season with salt and serve. The flavor of the vegetable is preserved in this manner of cooking and is particularly delectable.

Pot Roasted Chicken.—There should be cherished in every family a heavy iron Scotch kettle with an iron cover. One may cook coarse cuts of beef so that they melt in the mouth, in such a utensil. Place a spoonful of butter and lard in the kettle, add the chicken cut up or if small, in halves; cover and cook slowly, adding a few drops of water as it dries and perhaps a little more butter. When thoroughly brown add a cupful of boiling water and simmer until tender. To make the gravy remove the chicken and thicken the sauce with flour. When of the required thickness add one-half cupful of cream and a bit of brown coloring if the flour was not well browned. Serve the chicken with the gravy.

Nellie Maxwell

Famous Mining Strikes

By THOMAS B. STEWARD

WNU Service

How We Get Aluminum

ONE who was told that Arkansas was the principal source of bauxite in the United States would probably yawn wearily and ask, "what of it?" But if told that the same state produced most of the ore on which the rich and swiftly-growing aluminum industry is based, he would show much keener interest. Little has been written about the methods of producing aluminum, so that, while it is a commonplace in every household in the form of pans, kettles, coffee-pots and cups, most people take it for granted or, possibly, assume that it is a mixture of other metals.

Aluminum, known in British countries as aluminium, was first produced in the United States in 1883, although in that year only 83 pounds was produced. But in 1890 an inventor by the name of Hall perfected a process for extracting metallic aluminum from its ores, and so laid the basis for a swiftly-growing industry. The patents were obtained by the Pittsburgh Reduction company, forerunner of the Aluminum Company of America. By 1901 the United States was producing 8,248 metric tons of this metal, while in 1918, at the peak of war needs for copper and other metals which aluminum can replace, it reached 102,000 metric tons. As the war demand eased off, this volume dropped again to about 52,000 tons in 1922.

Bauxite, from which aluminum is made, occurs in Tennessee, Alabama and Georgia, as well as in Arkansas in the United States, and there also are considerable quantities of it in South America.

Aluminum is known chiefly for its excellence as a conductor of heat or electricity and for its rust-resistant qualities.

Latterly, however, aluminum has found its greatest usefulness in automobile body construction, where its lightness, together with a considerable strength, gives it marked importance as less weight and consequent higher mileage per gallon are sought by motor car manufacturers. It can only be used, however, at points where little or no stress need be resisted, as it has far less toughness than steel.

One of the most interesting facts about aluminum is that ordinary clay, such as we all see almost daily, is an oxide rich in aluminum, but is an "ore" that is useless outside the laboratory, as no method of reducing it to metal has as yet been found that was also cheap enough to warrant commercial exploitation.

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TWICE-A-WEEK

FRIDAY MORNING

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PLANS FOR LEGION 4TH OF JULY COMPLETED

Final plans for the American Legion Fourth of July Celebration are rapidly rounding into shape and evtrything is about ready for the opening fireworks Wednesday morning.

The program for the entire day has been announced and will start at 8 o'clock Wednesday morning with the discharge of large explosive pieces of fireworks which will scatter American Flags over Sikeston.

At 9:00 o'clock the Drum and Bugle Corps will parade through town and immediately after the celebration at the Fair Grounds will begin. All of the features of a real picnic celebration will be on hand including the hot dogs, merry-go-round, ferris wheel, merry mix up, Minstrel show, etc.

Athlteic events for boys and girls will be on hand at 10:00 o'clock in front of the Grand Stand.

Cash prizes will be given the winners in the various events which include the 100-yard dash, potato race, baseball throw, etc.

Following the athletic events will be another display of daylight fireworks which the members of the Legion promise to be different from anything seen here before this time. And again at 1:00 o'clock, the daylight fireworks display will be resumed.

The baseball game between Sikeston and Cape Girardeau will occupy the center of the stage at 2:00 o'clock and following it, the greased pole climb will be staged with a $5 prize for the dusky lad first reaching the top.

The evening program will begin with all concessions and shows on the midway in full swing. From 7:00 or earlier until 9:00 o'clock the shows, rides and concession stands will bare the brunt of the entertainment and beginning at 9:00 o'clock, Thelma Terry and her play boys will hold forth for one of the biggest dances of the season. This Music Corporation of America orchestra is highly recommended. Miss Terry and her orchestra have played in many of the leading theaters and cafes of the country and have broadcast from many stations.

The big night fireworks will begin at 11 o'clock and from then on the Legion boys advise that one use his own judgment for the entertainment of the rest of the evening.

The Legion celebration should be one of the biggest ever held in Sikeston and present indications are in that direction. There is no other celebration in the immediate vicinity and many visitors from the surrounding towns are expected.

NEGRO WHO ESCAPED FROM STREET GANG IS CAPTURED

Joe Williams, negro, who escaped from Lawrence Ables, street commissioner, while working out a fine on the streets Monday, was captured Tuesday afternoon about 3 o'clock by Chief Walter Kendall and Night Officer Gid Daniels on the Clarence Wyatt farm about six miles northwest of Sikeston.

Williams, who was serving out a sentence on an assault and battery charge was given a preliminary hearing on a charge of theft before Judge Jos. W. Myers Wednesday afternoon and bound over to the State with bond set at $500. He is charged with stealing bedding and other articles from the New Marshall Hotel, where he was employed and also with the theft of a rifle from Charlie Brown, negro cook at the Marshall.

When Chief Kendall and Officer Daniels went to the farm, they found Williams just getting out of bed, the rifle, a high-powered weapon of foreign make, at the head of the bed, was loaded with three shells. He was taken by surprise and did not offer resistance. When questioned about escaping from the street work gang Williams replied, "Well, you couldn't blame me, Mister Walter".

Three calls for teachers were received by the Chillicothe Business College last week, two from business colleges and one for a high school. Other schools recognize the leadership of C. B. C. in business education.

Mrs. J. N. Sheppard entertained with a 12 o'clock dinner Tuesday. Covers were laid for: Mrs. A. H. Reese and Mrs. Andrews of Houston, Texas, Mr. and Mrs. Dave Reese, Miss Freda Reese, Flavy Chambliss, Master Ray Allen Moll of Cairo, Miss Hyacinth Sheppard and J. N. Sheppard.



DRUM AND BUGLE CORPS MAKE SECOND GOOD WILL TOUR

The Sikeston Drum and Bugle Corps was scheduled for the second of its Good Will Tours Thursday evening. Dudley's was the meeting place and the schedule included Bertrand, East Prairie, Anniston and Charleston, in the order mentioned.

The purpose of the tour is for the advertisement of the American Legion Fourth of July Celebration and for the advertisement of Sikeston and the Corps.

A large number accompanied the corps on the recent tour to the west of Sikeston, but because of the unfavorable weather at that time, the number was not as large as was expected to go with the boys Thursday.

Capt. E. T. Wheatley, drum majjor, is out of town and Lyle Malone, commander of the local post, was to have acted in his place.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Welsh drove to Detroit, Michigan the first of the week with Handy Marshall, who has been visiting relatives in Sikeston. Nannabell Wilson accompanied them to Detroit.

IT MIGHT HAVE BEEN WORSE

Right now while the prospects do not look so rosy for the farmers in this section, is a good time for a little old-fashioned optimism and an application of the old saying, "It might have been worse".

We are not so terribly bad off and truly, "it might have been worse". A good part of the crops was drowned out, but another part is left and with a good season it will mature. There is still time to plant 90-day corn, millet, Sudan and sunflower and they are paying crops. Yes, the cutworms might get in the 90-day corn, but there is another old saying about planting an extra grain in the hill for him.

A great many are hit harder than we are and they haven't given up—it's hard to do, but the best remedy is to "grin and bear it".

Services will be held at the Lutheran Church Sunday morning at 10:30 o'clock and Sunday School will be held at 9:45 o'clock. The theme of the sermon will be The Cry of the Lost, "Lord, Lord, Open Unto Us". All are wecome to our services.

Mrs. Don Vowels of Texarkana, Ark., was in The Standard office Wednesday mornnig and said her Standard was a welcome twice-a-week visitor. Mrs. Vowels and daughter and her mother, Mrs. G. W. Ballard, left for Texarkana Wednesday afternoon. They drove through.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Blanton, who have been visiting Mr. Blanton's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Blanton, for two weeks, returned to their home in Atlanta, Ga., Thursday morning. Mr. Blanton will take up his work on The Southern Banker, a trade publication, on their arrival.

OSCEOLA WILL BRING STRONG TEAM SUNDAY

When the Sikeston baseball team meets the team from Osceola, Ark., here at the Fair Grounds Sunday afternoon, they will have some real competition, according to reports from the southern city. Red Mickey, star pitcher for the Osceola team, is a former Southern League player and several other members of the team are professional players.

However, Manager Tom Malone of the Sikeston crew will be ready for the team from the south. He will have practically the same line-up in the field as he had to defeat the Dam 53 team here last Sunday. With that aggregation the Sikeston fans have little to fear.

The reputation of the Sikeston team has traveled and Manager Malone is being virtually flooded with offers for games. Dam 53 will play a return game here July 8 and the following Sunday a game with the strong Caruthersville-Blytheville team has been scheduled. Following the game on July 15, a return weekday game will be played Wednesday, July 18 at Caruthersville.

July 22, the Missouri Pacific Westerners of St. Louis, a strong Boosters team, will play in Sikeston.

Marion and West Frankfort, Ill., have both written Manager Malone for games and will probably be scheduled for late July or early August. Both of these clubs have good teams, many of the players being of the Hard Roads League.

This brace of games and the Fourth of July game here with Cape Girardeau offers a schedule which should prove interesting and the Sikeston fans will not want for real baseball this summer.

In defeating U. S. Dam 53 here Sunday, Sikeston took a step up in baseball. The Cairo Purities defeated Dam 52 Sunday in a close game and Dam 53 is considered a stronger team than 52. The Dam 53 boys were not satisfied with being beaten in the ninth inning as they were by Sikeston Sunday and will come back July 8 with the proverbial "blood in the eye".

YOUTH LEADS OFFICER ON MERRY CHASE BUT IS CAUGHT

Ray Burnett, 19, of St. Louis, who was caught here by Night Officer Gid Daniels with a stolen automobile and other stolen articles Monday night, was returned to St. Louis Thursday morning where he had stolen an automobile.

Young Burnett, when first caught, refused to talk, but told his story to Judge Jos. W. Myers and officer Daniels Tuesday night after a day in jail.

He said that his home had been in Murray, Ky., until about three months ago when the family moved to St. Louis. Monday, he related, he decided to take a tour and drove off in a Chrysler coach belonging to a Mr. Teuck. South of Cape Girardeau he picked up George Mott, another St. Louis youth, who was hiking to Arkansas to see his grandmother. When the pair reached Sikeston Mott wanted to send a telegram and Burnett agreed to wait while the operator was called. However, instead of waiting, Burnett drove off and took with him a suitcase of clothing belonging to Mott. He drove to Boyer's Garage, where in some manner made off with a can of oil and a funnel. He then drove south on No. 61 about three miles, where he drained a highway tractor of gasoline and while there threw the clothing belonging to Mott away.

In the meantimes Mott had informed Officer Daniels of the affair and when Burnett returned to Sikeston, a wild chase over the north and west parts of town started, the officer finally catching the youth in the Chrysler on North Street about 11 o'clock.

An officer from St. Louis arrived Wednesday on the Sunnyland and returned to St. Louis with the youth Thursday morning. The city charge of theft and reckless driving will be held until the St. Louis officers have acted on the youth's case.

Miss Nellie Rankin and Clifton Owens of Hayti visited in Cape Girardeau Tuesday.

Superintendent of Schools Roy V. Ellise, who has just returned from school at Cincinnati, Ohio, has received a card from Clyde Whitmore, the new Sikeston High School coach, who is attending a coaching school at the Kansas State Agricultural College at Manhatten, which is under the direction of Bo McMullin and other great football players.

SIKESTON STANDARD

C. L. BLANTON, EDITOR

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TRADE IN SIKESTON

The first of the new "Trade in Sikeston" catalogs, which were printed by The Standard, will be distributed this week. This booklet is attractively covered and is cram full of bargains. It contains advertising from all of the leading stores of Sikeston and is well worth reading and saving for reference.

The copy for the catalog has been slow in coming into the office, the last of it being received last Saturday and the finished product has been rushed since that time.

The advertising displayed in this catalog demonstrates, in a great measure, the progressiveness of Sikeston. Nationally advertised lines are featured by practically every store in Sikeston. Sikeston has more up-to-date stores than any other town of its size in Southeast Missouri.

Located in one of the richest agricultural sections of the Nation, at a logical central distribution point for a large trade area, Sikeston stands out among the progressive towns of the State.

Both railroad and highway facilities make Sikeston unusually attractive for tradesmen. A National North-South highway (No. 61) and a National East-West one (No. 60) intersect in Sikeston.

The tourist and visitor is always welcome here. The hotel accommodations are of the best and the problem of food can be satisfied be it camping supplies or an a La Carte dinner.

The schools of Sikeston are of the best. Modern equipmtnt and modern teaching methods have spread the name of the Sikeston school system.

A belief that Sikeston is on the upward path is exemplified by its building program. At the present time three new business houses are under construction, two others are being completely remodeled and several houses are under construction. Several new buildings have been built during the past year and several other are planned for the future.

A street improvement program is under way, with the paving of a main North-South streets assured and the probability of Kingshighway being re-surfaced. The gravel and dirt streets of the town hav ebeen oiled.

All-in-all, Sikeston is a first class town. Your buying needs can be satisfied here. Boost for Sikeston and TRADE IN SIKESTON.

A huge reception awaited Chet Treece on his arrival in Poplar Bluff Sunday night. The fact that several train loads of delegates for the Houston Convention were there was of little importance. Chet admits that some of the cheers might have been for Mayor Jimmy Walker of New York and his purple pajamas.

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"Marry or Go Crazy" is a newspaper head. "Go Crazy and Marry", would probably be a more fitting one.

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Most people like flowers and to hear the birds sing, and some do not. The editor is one of those who do, though if we could have gotten close enough to a mocking bird that was singing in a tree at our bed room window from midnight until daylight, a few nights ago, we are afraid we would have committed a crime.

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Thelma Terry, who leads the orchestra at the Fair Grounds, July 4, is very handsome according to her photo. She says she wears two pairs of garters, one to hold up her stockings, the other to hold up traffic. Come over, Simon, and let's observe!

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If any of the planks of the Democratic platform had been laying around Sikeston Thursday morning about 5:00 they would have been thoroughly wet.

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There was considerable hell raised around the business blocks of Sikeston Wednesday evening by a great number of boys and girls in cars and trucks ringing bells and screaming at the top of their voices. And this was in the name of religion, too, as they were trying to drum up a crowd for the church.

The keynote speaker at Houston stated the country must get down to the fundamentals if we were to prosper. He might have also said it would be necessary to cut out the fumadiddles.

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The Mr. Freeman who is being sued for $1,000,000 at Tom's River, N. J., is not our Mr. Freeman who has just returned from New Brunswick, Canada, and other points in the East. The suit was over a woman.

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The Standard management are under obligation to Simon Loebe and his assistants of the Charleston Times for helping us out a hole by setting the financial statement of Scott County and other favors.

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When a drouth, we pray for rain; when it rains, we pray for dry weather. Perhaps if we prayed some between time and have sincerity back of the prayers, God would balance the extremes and give us seasonable weather.

Aubrey Kirby of St. Louis is visiting his parents.

Mrs. A. B. Dill is visiting her son in Carbondale, Ill.

Miss Ella Louise Schuppert is visiting with relatives in Carbondale, Illinois.

Fred Schorle is attending a Frigidaire Convention in St. Louis this week-end.

N. I. Kirby and daughter, Ruth, spent the past two weeks visiting in Kentucky.

Paul Gentles of Cairo will arrive in Sikeston Monday to spend his vacation with his mother, Mrs. M. Gentles.

Gilbert Hopper returned to Flint, Mich., Tuesday after a visit here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thodore Hopper.

Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Sexton will leave about the 9th of July for the Ozarks, where they will spend their vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Reese and Mrs. Vance Montgomery and daughter were in Cape Girardeau Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. Roy Johnson entertained with two tables of bridge at the home of her mother, Mrs. Henry Ferrell, on Tuesday evening.

Misses Grace Estes and Amy Allen will return Friday from Camden, Ark., where they have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Sam Brady.

BOWERS RAPS G. O. P IN KEYNOTE SPEECH

Sam Houston Hall, Houston, Texas, June 26.—The Democratic National Convention was thrown into a frenzy of delight here tonight by the opening gun of the campaign, set off by Claude G. Bowers of New York, the temporary chairman.

Addressing millions of silent radio listeners as well as 16,000 noisy persons in the convention hall, the party keynoter brought wild cheers as he pilloried the last two Republican administrations. They had brought "mythical prosperity, mythical economy, mythical facts, mythical figures and mythical men", he said.

Bowers spoke in a hall swimming after a thunderstorm deluge that forced streams of water through every untested crack of the huge arched roof. But discomforts of a leaky roof failed to dampen the roar of applause which greeted his shots.

It was the first real session of the convention, which began with routine today. The delegates were keyed up to applaud the lambasting they knew Bowers would give the party's political enemies. They let go with a vim when he came to the oil scandals, which he said involved the "pillaging of the nation's property"; to the farm situation, "a disgrace to American civilization", he said, and on the "tariff loot" and "paternalistic privilege", in general.

Bowers' battle cry to the party stalwarts, delivered under the flood lights of a night session in the gayly decorated hall, seemed a welcome break in the desperate, though apparently hopeless, battle which the anti-Smith forces are waging in hot hotel rooms to prevent the nomination of the New York Governor for President.

His plea for unity against a common foe seemed to set well with his perspiring but noisy fellow-Democrats on the floor.

In sentences loaded with the shrapnel of irony and invective, the New York Evening World editorial writer called the roll of the scandals of the last two Republican administrations; declared the portion of the farmer had become one of thorns and thistles while other industries fattened on tariffs and subsidies; asserted that "the plunder bund of the power monopoly" was threatening to tighten its grip on public utilities; described the Coolidge policy in Latin America as "dollar diplomacy", conducted in the interest of American business; accused the party in power of having sent "bureaucratic agents swarming over the land like the locusts of Egypt", and warned his fellow-Democrats that the Republicans now were seeking to "drug the conscience of the nation with the doped soothing syrup of a fake prosperity".

"We want to know what prosperity they mean", he said. "They point to a few powerful corporations enjoying the pap of paternatistic privilege and our answer is that you cannot judge that prosperity of a people by the earnings of a privileged monopoly.

"Four million jobless men is not prosperity; a million abandoned farms is not prosperity; the utter ruin of the basic industry of America is not prosperity; the failure of 4000 banks in the seven years of normalcy is not prosperity; the failure of 23,146 commercial houses in 1927 is not prosperity.

"Do they offer us their claim of the payment of $8,000,000,000, of the public debt up to July of last year? Our answer is that six and a third billion of this amount was paid with the money of the cash assets of the Wilson administration.

"Do they offer us their records of economy? Our answer is that with the elimination of the interest on war debts, the last three years of this regime has cost the people more than four and a quarter billion more than the last three peace years of the Wilson administration.

"Mythical prosperity, mythical economy, mythical facts, mythical figures and mythical men—the last eight years may well be treated by the historian of the far future as the mythical age of American history".

The keynoter directed his accusations repeatedly at Secretary Mellon, whom he described as a disciple of Hamilton and the direct personal beneficiary of governmental policies which the Republicans were now refusing to extend to the farmer. In tracing out the Vetreans' Bureau, Daugherty and Teapot Dome scandals, he recounted how "Will Hays had sought to turn over the Sinclair bonds to Mellon, who he said "made no protest against the party taking its share out of the pot filled by the pillaging of the nation's property".

Declaring that at Kansas City it was Hamilton and not Lincoln to whom the Republican party bowed in homage, Bowres added that 'it could hardly keeps the Lincoln mask on its face and Sinclair's money in its chest". He wound up a detailed denunciation of centralized authority in government and finance with this prediction:

"Give the plunder bund but eight years more of such governmental co-operation and a combination of power companies will put a few men in control of the public utilities of a mighty empire. * * * Once in possession and entrenched, the plunder bund of hte power monopoly cannot be dislodged by the fighting force of a dozen Andrew Jacksons".

The speaker described the farm situation as a disgrace to American civilization.

"And what does the ruling caste say to this?" he asked. "It calls it 'temporary depression'. And what does it propose? It proposes that the farmers shall become better business men.

"Now when it suits the pleasure of the privileged to legislate money into its coffers, it is applauded by the claquers as patriotic statesmanship; but when the farmer demands his share in the unhappy game of paternalism they denounce him as a radical and a crank.

"One day the head of the State, by a scratch of the pen, increased the tariff loot of the pig-iron industry by 50 per cent; and the next day he delivered a homily to the farmers on the wickedness of expecting profit from a governmental act.

"We do not ask patenralistic privilege for the farmer, but we do demand that the hand of privilege shall be taken out of the farmers' pockets, an doff the farmers' throat."

Bowers appealed to the history of the Jackson and Wilson administrations to refute any charge that Democratic presidents are enemies of busniess, but added that by "business" the Democracy meant small business as well as large, while the Republicans thought only of the powerful.

"We are interested in the babits", he said, "and they in the bulls and bears".

Harold Hebbeler of Cape Girardeau was a Sikeston visitor Wednesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Morrison and family returned Monday from points in Kentucky.

Mrs. A. H. Reese and Mrs. J. R. Andrews and babe will return to their home in Houston, Texas Sunday, after a visit in this city with relatives and friends.

FREE! FREE! FREE! FREE!

A $60 1928 Model

WESTMINSTER BICYCLE

To Some Boy or Girl With Each 50c Purchase of

Shoe Repairing

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Merchandise

We will give a ticket which is good on the bicycle which we will give away absolutely free

SATURDAY, AUGUST 4th

Watch our window for bicycle

Heuer's Sample Shoe Store

McCoy-Tanner Building SIKESTON

Notice To All Citizens

From Sikeston Board of Health

The recent heavy rains have caused many places to become filled with stagnant water, and in many places this water contains overflow from toilets and cesspools. As this water dries up all the filth it contains will be left scattered on the ground.

This condition will cause an epidemic of sickness unless all premises are thoroughly cleaned and disinfected.

Cut all weeds on your premises or the city will have it done at your expense. Rake your yards and gardens so that they will be free of all trash, which should be burned or hauled away as soon as possible. Do not delay in giving your premises a good clean-up.

Scatter lime freely about toilets and cesspools and wherever water has stood for any length of time.

Pour kerosene or other oil over any water that is standing near your place to prevent breeding of mosquitoes.

Do not let children wade in standing water, as all standing water is filthy.

Get water out of basements as soon as possible and air out your homes and places of work.

Be sure your homes are well screened in order to guard against flies.

Place all garbage in tight containers until it can be burned or hauled away.

All places of business selling or serving food must keep their places thoroughly sanitary and not allow garbage to accumulate about their places, or such places will be closed. This is imperative.

Let us all cooperate to keep our town a healthful place in which to live.

Sikeston Board of Health

N. E. FUCHS, Mayor DR. G. W. PRESNELL, City Physician

NEARL TWO INCHES OF RAIN HERE THURS.

Nearly two inches of rain falling on the already water-soaked soil in the Sikeston District between 5:00 nad 7:00 o'clock Thursday morning further damaged crops here, which were not in good condition, to an extent which has not yet been determined.

The official rainfall for Sikeston was 1.96 inches between 7 a. m. Wednesday and 7 a. m. Thursday, according to G. R. Fisher, local government recorder. Practically all of this rain fell between 5 and 7 o'clock Thursday morning. This brings the total rainfall for Sikeston for the month of June to 15.2 inches.

High wind and a small amount of hail accompanied the rain in the vicinity of Salcedo about 5 o'clock Thursday morning and damaged property with a loss of several thousand dollars. The house of Sherman Truly was blown from its foundation, Walter Hutchinson lost several small buildings and Joe Matthews lost a barn. Several buildings belonging to J. W. Baker, Sr. and J. W. Baker, Jr., were damaged and several were destroyed. Ben Hahn, who lives a mile north of Rootwad said that th hail was very light, but that the rai there was one of the heaviest he ha seen for the short space of time.

Crop conditions here previous the rain Thursday morning were n good but many more acres are no lost than before.

The roads throughout this sectio are passable but Highway 61 wa temporarily blocked Thursday morn ing when the water became dee across the road.

The Sikeston-New Madrid detou has been made weather-proof and in passable condition. There wa water in the road in several place Thursday morning, but the traff was going through.

The heaviest rain was to the nort and west no heavy rain extending a far south as New Madrid. Rain whic started in Cape Girardeau Wedne day night continued most of Thur day. An eight inch rain was repor ed at Bell City and reports show th the rain was general throughout th section except to the south.

Mrs. Ray Oliver and son a spending a few days in Dexter.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Hebbeler New Haven, Mo., Mr. and Mrs. R. H Williams of St. Louis and Mrs. H A. Myers of Hollington, Texas a the guests of Charles Hebbeler.

SPECIALS

SATURDAY, June 30

Full Fashioned Hose, per pair 89c
Glass Water Pitcher - - 15c

We Also Have Music Free

Champion Records - - 35c
3 FOR $1.00
Bathing Caps - - - 10c

PEEK'S VARIETY
5c AND 10c STORE



GREENER'S

The Economy Center of Sikeston—Service With a Smile

BECK BUILDING FRONT STREET



5 BIG ROLLS OF TOILET PAPER

Limit of one sale to each customer. A 25c value for only 10c. At Greener's of course. **10c**

3 BIG BOXES OF STEEL WOOL

Fine for cleaning kitchen and household articles. Limit one sale to each customer. 30c value for 10c. **10c**

PALM OLIVE SOAP

Another new low price on Palm Olive Soap. Extra special for Greener's First Anniversary. Limit of 5 bars. **6c**

"Tom" Baty Says:

While it is our Covington, Tennessee's First Anniversary we are featuring the same identical bargains here in Sikeston. Another instance where our group buying for a LARGE chain of stores, save you money. Read what my employes say about this 9-day event.

Pretty Infants' Socks

5c

Your choice of white, pink or blue. An extra special for the little ones. Buy a supply and save. At Greener's of course.

EXTRA SPECIAL

Women's Beautiful Full Fashioned Pure Thread Silk HOSE

89c

The biggest hosiery event in all the history of Sikeston. Beautiful, full fashioned, pure thread silk, service weight hose in pretty colors and all sizes. Going away for the 4th, then buy yours Friday and Saturday and save. Thrifty shoppers will buy a year's supply. Extra special for Greener's First Anniversary.



"Dick" Hopper Says:

My many friends will welcome the extra special values we are featuring. Just think, you can buy the best pair of trousers in my department for only $2.95. Trousers you saw priced yesterday at $4.98 and hundreds to choose from. A glance at the items on this page proves the next nine days will be money saving days to you.

49c Printed Voile 35c

40 inches wide and comes in many pretty patterns. Ideal for making summer dresses. Buy yours during Greener's Anniversary and save.

36-in Printed Organdy 25c

This is regular 35c quality materials, and shown in all the wanted summer patterns. 36 inches wide.

FREE! FREE! FREE! FREE!

A flag holder that will fit the radiator cap of your car and five beautiful flags free with every purchase of $2 or more. You will want one for the 4th of July, so you better hurry, as only have 200. It is a regular 50c value. See them in our window tonight. Positively none for sale. Decorate your car for the 4th. It's FREE!

White and Blue Poplin 15c

Regular 25c materials. Fine for women's and children's dresses. Reduced special for Greener's Anniversary.

36 in Printed Dimity 15c

Shown in eight of the season's most wanted patterns. Ideal for Dresses, Curtains, etc., etc., and priced to save you money.

Men's Pre-Shrunk $9.95 LINEN SUITS $7.50



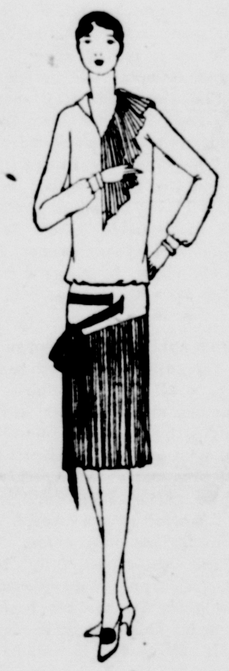
A saving of $2.45 on our already lowest in the city prices on Linen Suits. The fabrics were imported, and are pre-shrunk. A value never before offered thrifty men in this town. All sizes 34 to 42. Keep cool these hot summer days.

Men! Extra Special! Your Choice of the House in Dress Pants Valnes to $5 at only $2.95

The Pants you saw yesterday at $4.98 you can buy during our First Anniversary for only $2.95. Think of it, the choice of the house. Many styles to choose from and a pattern for everyone. All sizes.

All $12.45 and $9.95 SILK DRESSES Reduced to $6.95

We can't buy these Dresses in the open market today for this amount of money, but when th emanufacturer heard of our Anniversary, he said mark them down to $6.95 and charge the loss to me. Beautiful Georgettes, Crepe de Chines, Satins and Printed Crepe Dresses in the very newest summer styles. Your choice of any Dress in Greener's store at only $6.95.



All $5.95 and $4.95 SILK DRESSES $3.95

The original prices will be left on every Dress. Come see what you save. The biggest Dress bargain ever offered at this low price. The PRICE is RIGHT you know, well, the STYLES are RIGHT, too!

3 Boys' Khaki Pants $1

Big sizes 12 to 18. Ideal for outing. Well made Khaki Knickers priced special for Greener's First Anniversary.

Boys' Longie Pants 65c

Well made wash pants of Daytona suiting. Sizes 6 to 16. Buy the boy a supply and save at Greener's.

Boys' Wash Suits 39c

Regular 49c values, other stores ask 59c. Reduced special for Greener's First Anniversary. Well made and full cut of fine materials. Sizes 3 to 8.

98c Boys' Wash Suits 79c

Many summer patterns to choose from. In addition to pleasing your boy they will also please your purse. All sizes 3 to 8.

Boys' Play Suits 19c

Ideal little play suits for children 1 to 6 yeras of age. Regular 25c values and come in blue.

Men's Hong Kong Pants $1.25

Men's extra heavy Hong Kong pants. Made of good quality twill with two flap pockets. Full cut and all sizes. Regular $1.98 value.

Hand Made Porto Rican Gowns 75c

Hand made and dainty as can be. Why pay $1.39 when you can buy them at Greener's for 75c.

Cups and Saucars 25c

A value thrifty people will appreciate. Remember you can never have too many cups and saucers. 3 for 25c

The Banner Bargain for Men!

BROADCLOTH SHIRTS

All Sizes for All Men **89c** **Colors: White, tan blue and novelties**

This Anniversary Special is going to make hundreds of new friends for Greener's Price Right Store. Here is a bargain you have often wished for, now make the most of it. Buy a year's supply and save as you never did before.

Broadcloth Union Suits for Men and Boys 50c

Well made and full cut with elastic across back to assure comfort during the hot summer days. Made of good quality broadcloth and come in all sizes 24 to 46. Buy a supply at Greener's Special Anniversary price.

Men's $2.45 and $2.98 Dress Pants $1.95

A saving of more than a $1.00 per pair on most of them. Well made of fine materials and shown in many pretty patterns. All sizes in the lot. Extra special for Greener's Anniversary.

$1.98 Dress Pants $1.50

Every Dress Pant in the house is reduced 30 to 50 per cent. Many wanted patterns and styles and more than 1000 to choose from. All sizes in the lot. Save.

Men's 25c Socks 19c

Men's highly mercerized lisle socks. They come in good colors and all sizes. Regular 25c values we have reduced to 19c.

3 Men's New Silk Ties $1.00

Beautiful silk ties in new summer paterns. They are 49c values but we are selling them 3 for $1.00 during Greener's First Anniversary.

Women's Rayon Undies

Bloomers Panties Vests **50c** **Values to 98c**

Soft, dainty, cool rayon undies in pretty pastel shades. Made from a lustrous quality rayon. Buy a year's supply at this low price and save. Special for Greener's Anniversary.

All Summer Coats In Two Price Groups $2.95 and $5.00

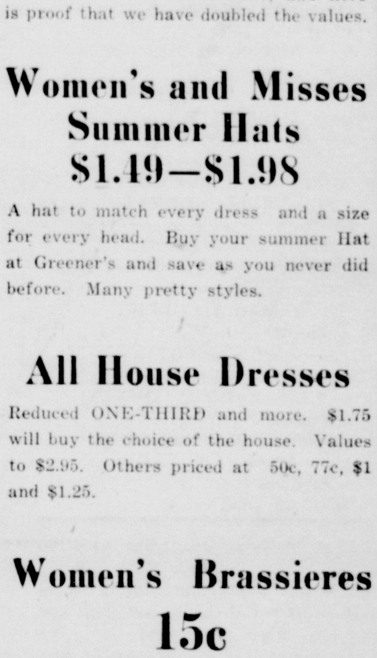
Values in the lot to $14.95. Only a limited supply. Your choice at $5.00. Values to $5.95 at only $2.95. Shop early for this special.

Women's Summer Hats 25c

An odd lot of regular 98c hats we have reduced special for Grtener's First Aniversary. Better hurry.

Window Curtains $1.10

With valances and tie backs and ruffle curtains. Extra large. Value to $1.98 at our every day low price. Decorate your home and save.



Mrs. Lucy Shankle Says:

Never before have I offered my many friends and customers such amazing values. Just think, beautiful, full fashioned, pure thread silk service weight hose at only 89c, in all sizes and colors. Many other items just as sensational. I am going out to break all records for sales the next 9 days, as I know it will be easy to do with these sensational values. This is a special invitation to my friends and customers to come and save at Greener's Price Right Store, as they never saved before. We are going to double the business in June, and here is proof that we have doubled the values.

Women's and Misses Summer Hats $1.49—$1.98

A hat to match every dress and a size for every head. Buy your summer Hat at Greener's and save as you never did before. Many pretty styles.

All House Dresses

Reduced ONE-THIRD and more. $1.75 will buy the choice of the house. Values to $2.95. Others priced at 50c, 77c, $1 and $1.25.

Women's Brassieres 15c

A new all time low price. Regular 25c values. Extra special for Greener's First Anniversary.

Women's $3.75 Voile Dresses $2.45

Daintily made of fine quality materials in all sizes and many pretty patterns. Specially reduced for Greener's First Anniversary. You will buy several at this low price.

Five Big Bath Towels $1

Size 20x40 with colored borders. Buy a year's supply at this all time low price. These towels are soft, absorbent and well made.



Mrs. Addie Hopper Says:

While Palm Olive Soap at 6c per bar sounds like a dream, you will find many other items in my Notion department priced equally as low. My many friend will welcome this opportunity to save the next 9 days, as they never saved in Sikeston before. Plan now to come every day, rain or shine.

SIKESTON STANDARD

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ANNOUNCEMENT

COUNTY OFFICERS

Subject to Democratic primary.

For Circuit Judge
28th Judicial Circuit
FRANK KELLY
of Cape Girardeau

For Representative
C. C. WHITE

For Sheriff
GEORGE C. BEAN
TOM SCOTT
J. E. MORROW
ROY A. GREEN
WILL CARROLL

For Treasurer
H. G. SCHMITZ
C. E. FELKER

For Assessor
C: A. STALLINGS
W. H. STUBBS
J. D. O'CONNER

For Surveyor
R. L. HARRISON

County Judge. 1st Dist.
GEORGE BUCHANAN

For Constable in Richland Twp.
BROWN JEWELL
LYNN WAGGENER

Subject to Republican primary.

For County Surveyor
JAMES A. COLLIER

For Sheriff
W. O. SCOTT

NEW MADRID COUNTY

For Treasurer
Subject to Democratic Primary
WADE TUCKER

For Assessor
HILIARY BOONE

J. B. Sheridan was right when he called country editors God's Fools, but it was unkind for him to have said it after they have made him and provided him with a good job. We Fools might now try to unmake him by not even reading his wonderfully worded news propaganda. It makes us wonder if others who use us for their convenience think that way about us. We, for one, have been proud of our calling, and believed we were worth while in many ways to the community and expect to hold up our head and believe, because we were dubbed a God's Fool, that God has a use for us and will direct our pencil along the right path. Poor Old Sheridan! How can he meet with the Fools in the future? He will be the one to feel his foolish talk.

With Hoover accused of being more British than American and Curtis a half breed Kaw Indian, we white folks and niggers can take our choice, vote the straight Democratic ticket, or stay at home. Where do you stand?

"GOD'S FOOLS"

"God's fools, grateful for the smallest and most insignificant courtesy. They hold my job for me", wrote J. B. Sheridan, propagandist for the public utilities in Missouri, of the country editors.

Not a nice thing to say—but the country press of Missouri ought to profit by it. There is no sense in it being so easy as Sheridan found it, the willing tool of the most insidious predatory interest with which the Unted States has ever had to deal. Missouri has had great need of a courageous press to defend herself and her citizens against the power interests. For instance, it is said that not a single water-power site remains untaken in the State, the Federal Government having given away every one without any return whatsoever to the State.

The country press ought to be everywhere alert, everywhere eager to give battle against exploitation. It should be ashamed that it was what Sheridan found it, "grateful for any little courtesy" from people whose designs were neither fair nor honorable. It is not a fault of the press alone. Gov. Baker, when Superintendent of Schools, proved equally gullible. They all pulled the cork under for the power interests, and they were all unconscious of being used.

"God's fools", indeed.—Post-Dispatch.

This paragraph will not be a popular one, but here goes. Many people who are in dire straits for food and clothes, pinch and stint to get gas for their "motor". When more mule teams come to town for necessities and the car is left at home, then an era of real economy will be begun, and until that time sympathy should be withheld from the poor down trodden. An auto is almost a necessity in any line of business, the farmer, the merchant and the professional man, but to run wild for pleasure in these times is a questionable policy. Some can afford it, and others cannot, but to keep in the swim the minnow tries hard to keep up with the big fish.

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This paragraph is to George A. Dempster for service rendered to all the parties, to all the card clubs, to funeral parties, and for other kindly acts committed by this gentleman. He is the man who lends his chairs, his tables, and frequently his truck to deliver or to gather them, and receives no financial return except in uncertain ways that may come. He does all these things cheerfully and frequently smiles and looks pleasant when some of his wares are broken when returned. This is a little pleasure that Mr. Dempster is glad to give.

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This is another time that the soft pedal should be used instead of the loud one. Three weeks ago the best prospects for a come-bcak for the farmer that has been in eight years was in sight. Now, it is doubtful if anything like the wheat, corn and cotton will be raised as was raised last year. The State of Missouri has been rained out from one corner of the State to the other. Creeks have become rivers and all bottom lands, an ocean. To the south, Arkansas is going through the same high water as last year and the Red Cross will be called on to lend assistance. The outlook in Southeast is not at all reassuring.

POLITICAL PARAGRAPHS FROM THE PARIS APPEAL

After wielding more power over both parties than any other president in history, Mr. Coolidge will go out of office with at least one regret. This is that he was born on a farm instead of in a Wall Street bank or New England factory.

Dawes really deserved a better fate. He most likely would have been where Hoover now is except that he smoked a pipe like farmers do and made no secret of his love for country ham. To Predatory Wealth this was like treason to the king.

The old Romans dragged conquered foes at their chariot wheels by way of celebrating their triumphs. It looked at one time like Messrs Mellon and Vare would hang a few farmers to the rafters in convention hall at Kansas City as a mark of triumph and warning to the West. But inability of any real farmers to get inside the hall made this impossible, so the East had to content itself with making kindling wood of all farm planks.

Congressman McNary comes out for Hoover and announces he will be satisfied with the latter's agreement to support the Haugen-McNary farm relief bill without the equalization fee. The contemptible quitter! Coolidge offered as much before vetoing the measure and it could have been enacted in one day except for McNary's insistance that it would be worthless without the equalization fee provision. Looks like he is willing to betray his followers for a mess of pottage.

The only way to judge what the Republican party will do for the farmer in the future is by what it has done for him in the past. Its platform declarations for "prevention and control of surpluses through orderly distribution" is but a repetition of the generalities it dispensed four years ago and eight years ago. Having had complete control of every branch of the government since 1920 without turning a wheel for agriculture how could any man on the farm have a particle of faith in the meanless phrase the Eastern bosses wrote at Kansas City last Thursday?

The West suffers more from Western statesmen than from Eastern industralists. Smoot of Utah, Curtis of Kas. and Borah of Idaho wield more power in the Senate than any other members. Not one of the three is in sympathy with agriculture. Their voices are the voice of Jacob but their hands are the hands of Esau when problems affecting their constituents are up for solution. Big Business could hardly muster three more pliant or influential tools. Until the agricultural West quits sending such men to Washington it will richly deserve the raw deal, including war tariffs and high freight rates, it gets from the industrial East.

The real truth about Hoover and Curtis is that both are men of the highest type; that both, coming up from poverty and obscurity, are living examples of the possibilities of American citizenship; that both are able, capable, courageous and clean, Both, however, are handicapped by records and affiliations that will require a lot of defending and explaining, especially in the West and Middlewest, because their sympathies are more with New England and the East than with those engaged in agricultural pursuits. Curtis was slavish in his loyalty to Coolidge. In addition to opposition he will receive from farm voters Hoover will be the victim of powerful groups, especially those of foreign birth and descent, in our great industrial centers. He will be further embarrassed by widespread publication of his appeal for a Democratic Congress less than 10 years ago, by his advocacy of the League of Nations and by use of his name as a candidate for the Democratic presidential nomination in 1920, also by publication of bitter attacks that were made on him by Senator Fess, the Kansas City keynoter, and other Republican leaders, at that time. Those who imagine Hoover and Curtis will have as easy sailing in November as they had in the convention which registered the will of Coolidge, Mellon and Vare are due for a rude awakening.

It used to be said that wine, women and song lured many a man astray. In the good old days the wine was better, you could tell what was the grade of the women by the paint she wore, and it depended on how much wine you had on board as to how you enjoyed the song.

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Adolphe Sax, inventor of the saxophone, during his lifetime, was knocked down a flight of stairs, swallowed a pin, was burned twice, drank poison and was nearly asphyxiated, and blown up. His grievances were great but he managed to even the score.—Council Bluffs Nonpareil.

WEEKLY NEWS LETTER OF STATE GAME AND FISH DEPT.

The last legislature passed a law recognizing channel cat as a game fish and declaring a closed season on that species from June 10th to July 10th, exclusive. During that period the greater part of its spawning is done by this fish.

Fishermen may recognize the channel cat (ictalurus punctatus) by the following characteristics: It does not reach so great a size as the blue cat and is a trimmer, more active fish than any of the related species. Its flesh is firmer and more flakey and by many people considered to have a somewhat better flavor. The head is rather small, narrow and convex above, so that the eye is a little nearer the upper than the lower outline. The eye is moderate, the posterior edge of the orbit at middle point of the head; mouth small and narrow, barbels long, that on maxillary usually reaching beyond gill-opening; spines long, humeral process long and slender, more than half the length of pectoral spine, which is slightly serrate behind. The color is light olivacious or bluish above, paler on sides, the belly white and silvery, sides usually, perhaps always, with irregular, small, round blackish spots, fins often with dark edgings.

Mary Elizabeth Baker, the daughter of Governor Sam A. Baker, will signal the formal opening and dedication, on July 16, of the big State Park near Patterson, Wayne County, named in her father's honor. At the right moment Miss Baker will hoist Old Glory to the top of the tall flag pole erected for the occasion which be the signal for the bands to burst forth in melody and officially notify the people of the State that this great 6000 acre park and game preserve is open to the public.

The Missouri Ozark Chamber of Commerce will combine with the Game and Fish Department in the ceremonies. Several notable Missourians will speak, among them being Governor Baker and Dwight Brown. Thousands are expected to visit the park on this occasion which will signalize the throwing open to the public of one of the most beautiful parks in the Middle West.

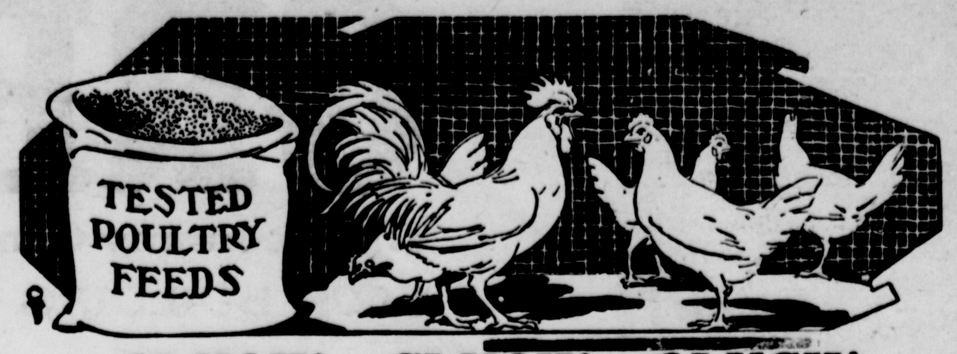
The State Game and Fish Department will hold its annual meeting this year at Steelville, Mo., July 9 and 10. This meeting will be in the nature, primarily of a school of instruction and will be attended by all Park and Hachery Superintendents, Game Refuge Keepers, Field Wardens and District Game Wardens. Keith McCanse, State Game and Fish Commissioner and the Chiefs of Divisions will conduct the school which will be held at the Wildwood Springs Hotel in morning and afternoon sessions. Addresses will be made on every phase of Departmental activity and the subject of wild life conservation. On Monday, Col. J. L. Campbell, Dean of the Junior College, Jefferson City, will speak on "The Importance of Education in Conservation".

Last year the Resort and Travel Bureau of the St. Louis Post-Dispatch received 5669 inquiries concerning out State parks and the Ozarks from prospective tourists and vacationists. 3402 of these were from outside the State and 2267 from a radius of 50 to 60 miles from St. Louis. It is of interest to know that the Post-Dispatch bureau is only one of many similar organizations that are answering such inquiries. When it is known that the railroads are arranging to put on special cars and in some instances augment its service to accommodate travelers to these recreational points we begin to realize that they at least are calculating on a banner year for Ozark Patronage. Judging from the thousands of park booklets asked for by automobile clubs and tourist service concerns, to say nothing of the large number mailed direct by this Department to inquirers, it begins to look as though Missourians had better be getting ready to entertain the United States before the season is over.

The Time You Spend in Church

With the stress of many influences some good, some bad in present life, is there anyone who does not need the steadying, the encouraging, the enduring influences of the Church. Your time this coming Sunday is yours. What you do with it is for you to say. Invest an hour and a half in attendance at Church, then measure its value to you, your condition of mind, your ability to accomplish, your definite progress, during the ensuing work—come to church—this Sunday!

Jesse Rainsford Sprague wrote a whole long article on business in one short paragraph in a recent article in the "S. E. P." when he said: "A lot of people get the idea that big business and little business are worked on two sets of principles. But they aren't. You just use more ciphers in big business; that's all".



CLUCK! CLUCK! CLUCK!

The time is near at hand when you will want Gristo Starting Mash for your little chicks; Rolled Oats, Oat Groats, Chick Developer. Buttermilk Feeds of all kinds in 8⅓, 25, 50 and 100 pound packages. Samples of these feeds are on display at all the stores. If you have a cow double her milk flow by feeding Grist 24 per cent.

Scott County Milling Co., Sikeston, Mo.

GIRLS! CAN YOU WEAR SHORT SKIRTS?

If not, listen to advice of Thelma Terry, girl orchestra leader at Sikeston July 4th, Henry Meldrum Post 114 American Legion Celebration.

Short skirts are the latest revelation in style, and unless a girl has been amply blessed by Nature, they are indeed apt to be a revelation. But don't feel badly about the new leg consciousness. Thelma Terry, the only girl in the world leading a male dance orchestra, has devised a cure for all the current leg-ailments, and if everyone follows her advice styles can become just as extreme as they want to. You won't have to worry.

Miss Terry and her Playboys Orchestra are appearing at the American Legion Picnic and Celebration on July 4th. She is considerable of a beauty as well as a talented musician.

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"Exercise", she continues, "makes skinny legs graceful and heavy legs neat and shapely. It both develops the muscles and reduces flabby flesh. I heartily recommend the following at-home stunts to be done every day. You will be amazed at the results!

"First—rise on your toes until the weight falls on the balls of the feet. Strain every muscle in your leg, and hold the position for several minutes before relaxing.

"Second—rise on the toes again, then squat low. Rise slowly and repeat this several times. At first you will lose your balance, but later it will become easy.

"Third—try a few steps such as you have seen Russian dancers do on the stage. Squat low, resting on the heels. Then throw one foot forward, and as you bring it back throw the other foot forward. This is strenuous, and on that account, most valuable.

"Fourth—dancing schools recommend this as a shapely leg developer. Stand erect and raise the right leg so that the knee presses the upper part of the body. Hold this for a while, then repeat with the other leg. In musical comedies, the dancing girls are made to do this day after day, fast and furious to the rhythm of music. And, as you know, chorus girls must have beautiful—yes!

"Do not neglect the skin, particularly if you go swimming. If you are trying to fatten your legs, rub in cocoa-butter or olive oil. If you are reducing massage without the creams.

"If every girl will work diligently on the above exercises, and in addition will indulge in healthful walks, dances and games, she will resemble a certain young lady of whom it was said that she wore two pairs of garters—one to hold up her stockings and the other to hold up traffic".

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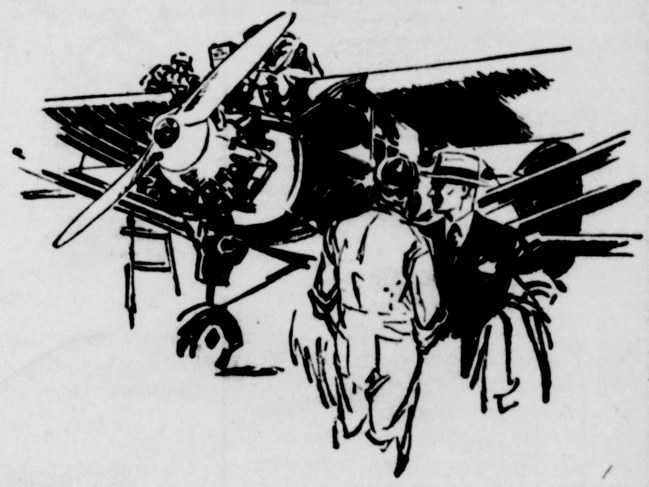
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DAINTY TIDBITS

There are so many tasty bits of food, called fancy dishes, which may be prepared at home with very little work and not much experience.



Loganberry Frappe.—Boil together one-half cupful of water and one and one-half cupfuls of sugar. Strain the juice of one can of the finest loganberries and mash through a sieve. Add the juice of half a lemon and the strained juice to the sugar sirup. Stir well and strain through a sieve again. Cool and pack in a mold placed in ice and salt for three hours. Serve in tall glasses with whipped cream for garnishment.

Pear and Chocolate Mousse.—Take one cupful of cooked pear pulp, add one cupful of sugar and a tablespoonful of lemon juice and a bit of grated rind. Melt two squares of bitter chocolate to one cupful of whipped cream, add the pear pulp, a bit of salt, mix well with one-half cupful of pear juice and pack in ice in a mold. Let stand three to four hours. The sugar is best added to the cream after whipping, as it holds up better.

Almond Acorns.—Blanch the desired amount of almonds and dry well. Dip each tip, coating them two-thirds of the way up in sweet melted dipping chocolate. Dip them immediately into chopped pistachio nuts and place on waxed paper to dry.

Chocolate Prunes.—Wash and soak overnight large fine prunes. Bring to the boiling point, remove and drain. Remove the pits and allow the prunes to dry. Fill each prune with a salted pecan meat and dip in melted chocolate. Let stand until well dried, then wrap in waxed paper.

French Dates.—Stone large dates and steam them for five minutes. When cool stuff them with fondant. Cut pistachio nut meats into halves and press two or three pieces into the fondant of each date so that the meats show.

Nellie Maxwell

TECHNICOLOR REVEALS AUBURN-HAIRED BEAUTY

Technicolor may beocme a regular feature of starring moving picture productions as a result of the precedent set by the directors of "Red Hair", the new Paramoun picture, starring Clara Bow, which will come to the Malone Theatre Monday and Tuesday. Brilliant effects are produced in the opening sequences of "Red Hair" by this process and the auburn tresses of Clara Bow, so long known to film-goers only in the unsatisfactory medium of black and white, are here shown in their real glory.

B. P. Schulberg, associate producer of "Red Hair", is so well pleased with the results of this innovation in this particular picture, that he predicts a more frequent use of this medium in future productions.

"A great deal of the real personality of Miss Bow is explained by her hair, which is of a brilliant auburn color", Mr. Schulberg said. Until this time, this pleasing feature of the star's appearance has been hidden from the public and the color effects will bring the famous star even closer to the public".

Besides showing Clara Bow's glowing hair in its natural hue, the color sequences of the film will do double duty in revealing the flaming pigmentation of Lane Chandler's hair. The leading man of "Red Hair" has hair only a trifle less flaming than that of Miss Bow and is Hollywood's first and only red-headed leading man.

"Red Hair" is said to be the perfect story for Miss Bow. It is a tale of an American flapper, whose harmless flirtations get her into all sorts of trouble when the right boy turns up. The story is the first one Elinor Glynn has written for Miss Bow since the famous "It".

"Red Hair" was directed by Clarence Badger, director of "It", and the supporting cast includes William Austin, Jacquelin Gadson, Lawrence Grant and Claude King.

Color effects in clothes, which Miss Bow believes to be so necessary for the proper background of the red haired woman will also be displayed in the technicolor portions of "Red Hair".

"Although the woman with red hair has a very difficult problem when it comes to dress, she may make herself outstandingly attractive if she is willing to devote some time to the consideration of color harmonies", Miss Bow says.

Black and dark blue are recommended by the star as the two most favorable colors for women who have red hair but she urges that all shades of red be avoided in clothes.

Red hair and red hats clash and this point should be put down and remembered at all times", says Miss Bow. "Green appears to be a very popular color with those whose hair is red, but I would advise sticking to the lighter shades of green, such as sea foam and Nile.

"For evening wear I do not think a woman with red hair can make a better choice than white. Here is obtained a maximum of contrast and every bit of coloring one might have is set off to the best advantage with just plain white".

Particular care has been taken by Miss Bow to use the best color combinations in her costumes in "Red Hair" and the harmony effects are said to be remarkable.

The early scenes of the picture were taken at a shore resort and the coloring of the beach, with the sunlight on the sand and the water and its throng of vacation idlers in smart beach costumes furnishes a splendid setting for the use of the technicolor process.

While the inspiring temperament of red haired persons was a motive which influenced Miss Bow in suggesting a red-headed man for the lead in "Red Hair", the charm of Lane Chandler's flame-colored hair will add to the colorful effect in the opening sequences.

Elinor Glyn first suggested to Miss Bow that red haired persons possessed this inspiring temperament and Chandler's latest triumph may be traced to this suggestion of the author.

Not only is he the only red-headed leading man in moving pictures but he is also the tallest leading man in moving pictures. He is six feet, two inches tall. He weighs 185 pounds and has dark gray eyes.

Speaking of model husbands, we'll bet the Portland, Oregon, woman who can shoot a score of 94 out of a 100 with a revolver has got one.—Macon Telegraph.

Perhaps the McNary-Haugen bill would have relieved the corn-belt farmers, but the veto certainly has relieved the corn-belt politicians.—San Diego Union.

My insurance office is now located Room 6, Sikeston Trust Co., Bldg. Insurance, Rentals, Loans.—John G. Powell.

Still a Prohibitionist.—Headline. Well, there are stills that have done more to induce people to stop trying to drink liquor than almost any other agency one might mention.—Nashville Banner.

The Literary Digest presents evidence that tigers can climb trees, which strengthens, if possible, our previous resolve that somebody else is going to have to do all the tiger hunting.—Nashville Banner.



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California Gulch

MANY a wagon that bore westward in the summer of 1859 bearing the legend, "Pike's Peak or Bust," was to be soon homeward bound the next year with the first brave slogan wiped out, and in its place the single word, "Busted."

But some of those who failed of success in that rush were of sterner stuff. They pressed on across the Colorado range and found gold-bearing gravel in South Park.

In the spring of 1860 some of these dauntless prospectors worked their way across the second range into the headwaters of the Arkansas river, from which many millions of dollars' worth of placer gold was destined to be washed.

No sooner had the first parties worked their way into this rich territory than gold strikes were reported in what was known as California Gulch. Slater, Currier, Rafferty, Stevens and Tabor were names among the earliest of those who found the coveted treasure.

The most astounding thing about the California Gulch strikes was the rapidity with which the news spread. Although the region was one of the wildest into which prospectors had yet ventured and almost no one had even traveled through the region prior to the strikes of 1860, seventy prospectors poured into the gulch within a few days after word of the discovery had gone out. By July 10,000 persons were in the camp, according to the estimate of S. F. Emmons, geologist in charge of the United States geological survey in 1885, who studied the history of the place. It was said that $2,000,000 worth of placer gold was taken out the first summer, though Emmons considered this an exaggeration.

The characteristics of a mining camp based on placer gold rather than on the more substantial "rock in place" type of diggings, which is to say, the true lode or vein, soon manifested themselves in California Gulch. Once the richest yield of the placer cradles had been extracted the population began to diminish swiftly. In three or four years' time, only hundreds remained where there had been thousands. Kellogg and other prospectors of the restless type sought newer fields. Tabor, settling down to the business of running the only store in the place, thereby put himself in the way of fortune, for it was a grubstake from that store that led to the discovery of the Fryer hill deposits in which was later to be Leadville.

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ENORMOUS FARM FIRE LOSSES PRESENT PROBLEM FOR STUDY

Approximately $150,000,000 worth of property is destroyed each year by farm fires. This does not take into account possible waste of foodstuffs or of labor. Among the most important causes are spontaneous ignition of hay, grain, feeds and other agricultural products; lightning; defective chimneys and heating outfits; and sparks on combustible roofs; other causes include carelessness in handling matches or in smoking; carelessmess in using and storing gasoline and kerosene; and faulty electrical wiring. In connection with the spontaneous ignition of hay stored in farm buildings, such material inundated by the notable Vermont floods heated rapidly after the water receded, one barn which stood in 5 feet of water burning only three days after the flood.

This spontaneous heating of hay and other products will be one of the first problems considered by the Bureau of Chemistry and Soils, United States Department of Agriculture, which is making a study of ways and means of preventing this huge loss. Co-operating with the department specialists are various prominent insurance and fire-protection organizatoins.

Our idea of a contented man is the one, if any, that enjoys the scenery along the detour.—Ohio State Journal.

Another of life's unsolved mysteries is why, when you have a swatter in your hand, a fly nearly always persists in alighting on something fragile.—Louisville Times.

An American film-producer says that the children he employs often suggests ideas to him. That explains a good deal.—Punch.

Kentucky is claiming the world's pork record. The State cannot be familiar with the performances of Congress.—Pittsburgh Post-Gazette.

Politics has developed into a business, but we Democrats do not yet seem to have caught the business aptitude for combination.—Virginian-Pilot.

Queen Marie of Roumania is coming to visit the United States again, and soon. But if she hopes to receive the attention showered upon her on her first pilgrimage to a great democracy, she'll do well to bring along little King Mikey.—Manchester Union.

King's Mate

By Rosita Forbes

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CHAPTER VIII

Rosemary stayed in the yard, though the stones of her seat were sharp. She must forget what she stigmatized as the "ridiculousness" of the last week. If she treated the situation as perfectly normal, it would become so of course. She resolved to interest herself in the Riffian war, to study the customs and politics of the people. In time she might get as excited about them as the Kaid. For an instant she saw herself an African Joan of Arc. Then her bare legs attracted her attention. "Economical," she thought. "Healthy, but not at all engaging!" Her thoughts flew on

"Zarifa!" she called. "Isn't there a mirror in the whole village?"

"Yes, yes," shrilled the handmaiden. "I will get one." And, when the light was almost gone, she bustled into the room with a fly-blown glass, ornately framed in gilt. "It belongs to Sidi Mohamed's wife and she was proud and grateful to lend it to a bride."

Rosemary's mood was proof against her giggles. She studied her face with considerable attention. "It's like meeting an old acquaintance," she reflected, and smiled with firm lips, so thin skinned that the blood underneath was like red, smooth petals.

Zarifa watched her draw a damp finger across her eyebrows, which were long and slim, and comb her hair, pushing it into waves with impatient purpose.

"Wallahi, Allah has given you beauty. The Kaid may well be pleased." The words rolled off Rosemary's new security. She was glad she was beautiful, for it made things more exciting. Some day, perhaps, Westwyn would realize it. Her cheeks began to burn. She must not look back. There were things she couldn't bear to remember, worst of all the moment when the Kaid had picked her bodily off the couch and told her to play the game. D—n him, she thought, and then pushed away her resentment, packing it down amidst layers of common sense. It was no use regretting anything. She must begin all over again.

They sat on the couch, talking long after Ahmed had cleared away the dishes, delighted at the destruction which proved his skill. Westwyn was preoccupied, though he took in every detail of the girl's grace, as she twisted into the most comfortable position against the brilliant bolsters.

"He can't get away from his soldiery," thought Rosemary, but the man's mind was fixed on pajamas! What the deuce did she sleep in, he wondered. Why on earth hadn't he thought of it before. His teeth bit into the pipe-stem. Planning a southern offensive, decided his companion, half amused, half annoyed. She moved restlessly against the cushions, pushing them into a better angle.

"Do they always stuff their pillows with young potatoes?"

"Yes, I think so—pretty neck racking, isn't it?" returned Westwyn, regarding her as if she were a strategic puzzle, and wondering whether he could offer her some pajamas! Oppressed by the problem, his leave taking was somewhat disconnected. "I suppose Zarifa can make this into a decent bed," he remarked, prodding the hard, hempen couch. His gaze wandered round the room, with its bare mud walls decorated with texts from the Koran, and its islands of camp furniture upon a sea of matting. "I'm afraid it's awfully uncomfortable," he said. "I do hope you'll be all right. If you'll wait a minute I'll get you—" and he disappeared through the door into the yard.

Rosemary sat on the window ledge contemplating a corner of starlit sky—it looked as if it were a flower bed. She felt she could pick out the biggest stars and set them like candles on the table. Westwyn's footsteps came slowly across the yard. He hesitated in the doorway, a bundle of pale-colored garments in his arms. His smile was guilty, but there was a twinkle in his eyes.

"Look here, Rosemary—you'll have to let me call you that; I can't say Mrs. Westwyn, can I?—it would be indiscreet, I suppose, to ask what you do sleep in, but I thought perhaps you'd let me lend you these." He dumped the pajamas on the couch and retreated, with the air of getting as far away from them as possible.

Rosemary struggled not to laugh. His embarrassment made her mistress of the situation. "Thank you, awfully. It'll be a great improvement on a barracan. So scratchy, you know, and my toes always get entangled in the fringe." From sheer mischief she crossed to the couch and picked up a striped coat. "I shall disappear in it altogether and never be found again," she said, measuring the arms.

Westwyn was amused. Two could play that game! "Turn up the sleeves," he suggested, and came over to help. It was while they were both holding the coat, laughing at each other as they weighed and summed up the new feeling between them, that a burst of music came from outside. Wild and stormy, it was sound woven into the passion of a marriage night, the song of women drifting like leaves on a tide. It caught at Rosemary's heart, and her face reflected something of its tumult.

"What is it?" she asked, and noticed the man's hands clenched on the stuff they held.

"It's the village women. They have come here to celebrate the wedding. Listen, now." For the life of him he couldn't help touching her arm. Through the music came a ringing ululation, the primitive rejoicing of woman in her mate, her glad promise of fertility. The mask of civilization was torn from Rosemary as the music wrenched her nerves. For a minute she was as much potential wife as any of the shrouded figures who rejoiced in her fulfillment. Wide-eyed and fearless, the tide of life full in her veins, she looked at Westwyn and saw his face sterner than she had ever known it.

"You must go out to them. Give them money," he said, and pushed silver into her hand.

"Come, too," she pleaded, puzzled and a little hurt, but still hypnotized by the tremendous forces echoed from audh and drum.

Westwyn shook his head. "I can't. They are not all peasants. Some of them may be veiled." He urged her gently toward the door. She turned to him, moved beyond speech, but he was unresponsive.

The night air struck cold in her face and the women surrounded her with their song. It was harsh now and insistent. Frightened, she offered them money, muttered thanks in her few words of Arabic, and retreated toward the protection waiting indoors. But her room was empty.

For a long time the girl sat on the couch, staring at the door, through which Westwyn had left. Zarifa, tearing herself reluctantly from the excitement in the court, smiled when she saw her mistress so absorbed. "Allah give you happiness," she whispered, "but you must prepare for the master's return."

"Don't be an idiot!" retorted Rosemary in English.

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The days which followed reconciled Rosemary to Telehdi. There were moments when she almost liked it. She no longer felt a prisoner among strangers. Westwyn managed to inspire her with enough of his enthusiasm to make her appreciate the qualities of the mountaineers. She watched the brown-robed riflemen laughing in anticipation of the morrow's raid and watched those same men drag themselves home wounded, with a smile for their pain. They took war lightly, these mountain people. It was part of the natural hardship of their lives. "Man was born to fight. Woman to work!"

Sometimes Rosemary rode up under the brow of the pass with Westwyn and, from one of the twin peaks, they could see the headwaters of the river, whose dam was going to burst, but more than that he would not tell her.

"It is better that you should know nothing. Zarifa is an awful chatterer and she has some sort of relation in Martengo's house. By the way, the Spaniard is on his feet again. I wonder what revenge he is plotting! I shouldn't be surprised if he tried to sell us to Spain."

"You seem very calm about it."

"Well, he'd never get paid—that's certain! Our gallant enemies are freer with promises than with money." In spite of such lightness, there was a Riff guard now round Westwyn's house, and Rosemary never rode alone.

Westwyn would talk for hours about the Riff and, through it, they became friends, but always on the surface was the antagonism of their interest in each other. If the man had not been so busy he would have realized himself in love. As it was, Rosemary was a stimulus to him, and a danger, because she crept into his thoughts when they ought to have been occupied with maps and mountain batteries.

The rains had begun, and each mountain path was a stream. Excitement permeated the village, though few guessed its origin. Something was pending, but only Abd-el-Krim's counselors knew what it was.

"The secret has been well kept," they could assure each other with satisfaction.

Even Zarifa's curiosity drew blank. "A great thing is going to happen," she told her mistress. "It is like the feeling before a storm. Martengo, that evil one, is excited. Perhaps he sees a chance to interfere."

"How do you know about him?"

"My mother's cousin is a servant in his house. All day he plays chess, that game of wooden armies, with a Portuguese, who is his friend, but I think they plot more than how to mate a dummy king!" Zarifa's mixture of French and Arabic was forceful and it roused Rosemary's curiosity. That afternoon she asked Westwyn pointblank. "What is being planned? The whole village is on edge. It's rather like sitting on the rim of a volcano and waiting for it to explode. The ministers are like children with a secret. Mystery is written all over their faces. It's as irritating as it's silly."

Westwyn laughed, but he would not explain. "It's a great feat for a Riff to keep a secret at all. No wonder they have indigestion."

"You are quite convinced, aren't you, that a woman is not to be trusted with one. You thought I should tell the French about the pass."

"Secrets are not healthy in Telehdi. Martengo is the uncertain quality, and I don't like that Portuguese pal of his." Westwyn evaded the question with a fact which was so obvious that Rosemary felt it lay about in chunks about her to fall over!

"He shall tell me," she thought: "I'll make him," and her chin set in the firm sweep that had antagonized De Vries.

"You look like Lucretia Borgia plotting the death of her latest husband."

"No, only the downfall of my first," retorted the girl, a gleam under her shrouding lashes. They looked like smudges of smoke on her cheek, thought the man, and told her, when she banished the expression, regarding him out of cat's eyes, still and deep. "Nobody could be as good as you look in this moment. I suspect you of the worst."

"I also have a secret?" mocked the girl.

"You shall know mine in a week," offered Westwyn.

"I'll know it before then," vowed Rosemary to herself, and aloud. "You shall know mine—never!" Her hair was like misty spirals in the damp her mouth curled at the corners. She was young, radiant, and excited. Westwyn's blood responded. He wanted to make love to her, but he hadn't time! Their moments together were growing fewer. The meals which Ahmed, from the first, had decided they must share, were interrupted by the sultan's messengers. Even now, as they stood by the well in the harem court, under a lowering sky, mist hiding the peaks, there was a clatter of mule hoofs beyond their wall.

"That's young Menebbhe. I recognize his particular brand of oaths. I never get you to myself for a moment. But," he bent till his lips almost touched her hair, "the war is going to end, and then—"

"Are you content to wait as long as that?" asked Rosemary, drawing back. Westwyn's eyes accepted her challenge, the twist at the corner of his lips was expressive, but he did not answer.

"He shall tell me! It's absurd. I must know what's going on," thought Rosemary, as she tried the effect of a gauze scarf which Abd-el Krim's mother had sent her. Two lamps,



Zarifa Sat on the Floor Regarding Her Mistress With Her Usual Lidless Stare, While She Talked of the Kaid.

both smoking, for never was a Moroccan born who could cut a wick straight, threw shifting shadows over the mud walls.

Zarifa sat on the floor, regarding her mistress with her usual lidless stare, while she talked of the Kaid. He was her main subject of conversation, first because all interest in the Riff centered in his fabulous achievements, and secondly because it was quite obvious that the theme was popular with her audience. "Your skin is like milk," she interpolated. "Pull the silk down under your arm." With the grace of a cat she was on her feet. "Alee! You do not know how to twist that thing. Let it fall, so—" She wound the shimmering sapphire stuff with a cunning which sheathed Rosemary's slenderness and left bare one shoulder, veiling the other in a cascade of silver bordered folds.

"I shall never be able to walk in it," laughed her mistress, and took a few tentative steps, watching the effect in the mirror.

"Allah! You are beautiful!" muttered Zarifa, awed by the contrast of pale hair and skin against the blue. "You must have scent, and then you will be irresistible," she added, and drew a flask from her belt to smear a precious, pungent drop of attar on Rosemary's breast. "You are like Leila, of whom the madman sung," she continued, and burst into the old, wailing chant wherein a medieval Arab tells of the love his humility could not win. Rosemary did not listen to the words, but the refrain quickened her excitement. She meant to break down Westwyn's reserve, to force his secret from him, but she would not face the reason why she wanted to know. What did the plans of Telehdi matter, but she must win her point! Always, when they two were at issue, Westwyn had prevailed. Her will had broken before his. It had been humiliating, but—tonight! She stretched out young, smooth arms—surely tonight he would give way. "Afterward?" Her mouth was very red, her pulses throbbed. "Afterward," who knew, but first she must win her point!

Ahmed apologized for his failure to produce more than a dozen different dishes. Such a meal was beneath the Kaid's dignity, he explained, as he fussed with the arrangement of the camp table, but, as the noble lady knew, food was getting scarce. Then Westwyn came in, and from the first moment he could not take his eyes off the gold and blue and white that was a changed Rosemary.

"Abd-el Krim's mother sent me this," explained the girl, fingering the scarf. Beneath that uncompromising gaze she was not quite so sure of victory. She talked quickly, sometimes brilliantly, while they sampled the mystery of Ahmed's cooking. "I never know what's at the bottom of these bowls," she said, fishing with a fork, but Westwyn would not respond.

"It has been growing on me, in spite of my denseness, that you are very lovely. Odd, wasn't it, that I didn't grasp it when I first saw you down there by the caves?" His voice was gently mocking, but his eyes were direct. A flame burnt in them, so that they seemed white hot. The girl had a suspicion of forces beyond her or any one else's power of control.

"My charms were well overlaid with dirt," she remarked without looking up.

"No wonder you were so surprised that I would not let you go back to Fez."

The war was being pushed into her own country, and Rosemary rallied her forces. "You'll probably be thankful to get rid of me in the end." Her head went back, showing the long line of her throat. Westwyn knew the game. Many women in many lands had flung him that gesture of invitation. He had only to put out a hand to touch that smooth, sun-kissed throat, but he did not move. Ahmed came in and took away the tray, brought them coffee in handleless cups, and departed, shutting the door with an air of finality.

"Do you want to go, now?" asked Westwyn at last.

Rosemary countered. "I thought you said the war was going to end very soon?" She must know, first, the thing he hid from her. "Tell me what you meant?" Her eyes were shining, clear jewels, with life mirrored in them. There was a flush on her cheeks! She was at her loveliest, triumphant because of what she saw in Westwyn's face, a little afraid because she was up against the man inevitable to her womanhood. Disregarding the coffee, she leaned on the table, cupping her chin in her hands.

"Do you want to go?" repeated Westwyn, leaning back, his hands hidden in his pockets.

"No," said Rosemary, and the word was hoarse, as if it were dragged up from the depths.

There was a jar as the man's chair grated back. It seemed to rip the silence of the room. Then he was beside her on the couch. "Rosemary—darling," but the girl made a gesture to ward him off.

"No, no. I want to know what is happening. I must know—tell me."

Westwyn laughed, bending over her as she retreated against the wall. "What'll you give me for my secret?" His voice was teasing. For a moment he looked a boy, and the tension between them eased.

"Anything!" promised Rosemary, delighted.

"But supposing I take what I want? After all, you are my wife."

The girl's breath was uneven. The instinct to know and the instinct of evasion were at war. She shook her head, fear and something greater than fear struggling in those depths she had all her life denied. Very gently Westwyn took her in his arms, but his deliberation made the action more irresistible. He turned her face up and kissed her lips. "I love you," he said. "I believe I've loved you all the time." For a moment Rosemary yielded, and her mouth was warm, under his. Then she realized he had won. Revolt flashed into her brain, but it was far deeper than she knew. In a last obscure struggle to keep untouched that bit of her which had been cool, assured inviolate, she dragged herself away. Westwyn relaxed his hold, but his hands were still on her arms.

"It is too late," he said. "You asked for it, you wanted it." His certainty and the mastery of his touch exasperated her. All her modernity was stripped from her. She was at bay. To gain time, to postpone the inevitable, she threw at him the first words that came into her head. It is doubtful if she even realized what they were, and they were directed as much against herself as him.

"You are like every other man!"

Westwyn's face hardened, and his grip hurt her. "What do you mean?" There could be no half measures now.



"I Swear I'll Never Touch You Again Until You Ask Me To!"

She had to choose between complete surrender and an irrevocable blunder, and she did not wait to think.

"Martengo—" she began, and stopped, really frightened at last.

Westwyn was pale under his bronze. His face looked oddly mottled. "Do you mean that?" he asked, letting her go. "Take care what you say?"

Rosemary hesitated. She longed to contradict herself, to explain an impulse which was inexplicable, to give in, but she was confused by the indignation blazing at her. She tried to string words into sense, but found them brittle and meaningless.

Westwyn waited a moment and then, with an effort of immense deliberation, he got up. "There is no need to look like that. You're not going to get burned!" The irony rasped in his voice. He strode to the door and dragged it open and the wind swirled in from the yard. "My God! I swear I'll never touch you again till you ask me to!"

(Continued Tuesday)

Kenneth Turner and Harry Darr of Flint, Mich., are visiting homefolks in Sikeston this week.

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COUNCIL TO CONSIDER PLANS FOR PAVING KINGSHIGHWAY

Plans for North and South Kingshighway drawn by the W. R. Fuller Company of St. Louis will be up for acceptance at the regular meeting of the Sikeston City Council Monday night. Action may be taken in regards the immediate paving of this important street by tax bills.

The proposition of drainage for North Kingshighway will also be discussed. A committee consisting of J. F. Cox, chairman, Charles Hebbeler, and Judson Boardman was appointed by the mayor to investigation and this committee will probably make a report.

The plans for Kingshighway have been here for some time and have been checked over. The Council has the power to have the street paved by tax bills if there are no remonstrances or if they are settled.

Other than the routine business of the regular monthly meetings there may be some discussion as regards the details in paving of Malone Avenue, the contract for which has been let and which will be signed, possibly next week.

REPRESENTATIVES OF TEN S. E. MO. REVIEWS HERE SAT.

Some twenty or thirty women representing ten or more of the twenty-one Rveiews of the Southeast Missouri Division of the Woman's Benefit Association will be in Sikeston Saturday to meet with Miss Rebecca Pierce, head of the division and Mrs. W. A. Sommers, Supreme Regional Director in regards the plans for the State Convention and cruise rally which is to be held here in October.

Because of high water the representatives of several of the Southeast Missouri Reviews will not be able to attend.

There are several problems to be discussed at the Saturday meeting and in addition some degree work will be given out-of-town people by the Regional Director.

The meeting here in October will attract delegates from Arkansas, Tennessee and Oklahoma in addition to the State of Missouri.

Mrs. W. A. Rhodes and children of Peroia, Ill., are guests of Mrs. W. R. Burks.

Miss Georgia Cox of Dexter spent Wednesday in Sikeston as the guest of Mrs. Mary Griffith.

Mr. and Mrs. Beal Massey returned to Sikeston Tuesday from a visit with Mr. Massey's parents in Little Rock, Ark.

Miss O'Brien of St. Louis is visiting her cousin, Mrs. B. F. Marshall, Jr. and family at Blodgett. Miss O'Brien and Mr. and Mrs. Marshall spent Wednesday in Sikeston.

Mesdames Harry Dover and Bess Cook entertained with a luncheon on Thursday at the home of the former, complimenting Mrs. J. A. Frohock, who is visiting relatives in Sikeston.

1137 FEET PAVED IN ONE DAY ON NEW MADRID ROAD

More than 4458 feet of the pavement between New Madrid and Sikeston had been poured up to Thursday morning and with overcast skies but little or no rain Wednesday night the paver of the A. A. Davis Company continued to pour Thursday morning.

A record for a day was set Wednesday when 1137 feet was poured. However, this record is not expected to stand long as the contracting company plans to rush all work when the weather permits. Only about 400 feet was poured Tuesday but work was not started until 3 p. m.

All the culverts between Sikeston and New Madrid have been put in by the highway department and with an even break in the weather the contract will be finished on time.

WILLIAMS ACCEPTS CALL TO PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Glenn Williams, a student pastor of Benton City, Mo., has accepted the position as pastor of the Sikeston Presbyterian Church for the summer months. The Rev. R. C. Rodgers, who has served his year here will leave for a vacation before taking up work elsewhere. The Rogers will visit in the east.

Mr. Williams will preach here and at Charleston. His first sermon will be held here Sunday evening at 8 o'clock. Every other Sunday he will alternate between Sikeston and Charleston on the morning and evening services. Next Sunday, July 8, he will preach in Sikeston in the morning and at Charleston in the evening. The public is invited to hear Mr. Williams Sunday evening.

SPEAKS TO LIONS

W. F. D. Batjer, secretary of the Cape Girardeau Chamber of Commerce, was honor guest at the regular Thursday luncheon of the Sikeston Lions Club.) Mr. Batjer spoke of the coming bridge dedication at Cape Girardeau on September 3 and invited the civic organizations of Sikeston to take part in the celebration. Frank Van Horne, nwely elected president o fthe Club, was not able to be present.

Harry Blanton is in Jefferson City on business.

The Standard is in receipt of a post card from L. T. Davey, who says he's with the gang this year at the Oil-O-Matic International Convention in Bloomington, Ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Hunter and young son of St. Louis are visiting Hunter's aunt, Mrs. A. B. Skillman. They drove to Cape Girardeau Saturday and on to Sikeston Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Upchurch of Detroit, Mich., who have been visiting Mrs. A. E. Shankle, left Monday for a visit in Eldorado, Ill. Miss Coretta Pharris joined them Thursday, when the party left Friday for Detroit.



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NEWS FROM BLODGETT AND VICINITY

Mrs. R. H. Mackley entertained the Woman's Club last Thursday. Program subject, "What the Ballot Means To Me".

Paper—What Every Club Woman Should Know—Mrs. O. Embrey.

Primaries and Why They Are So Important—Mrs. J. W. Parker.

How the President Is Elected—Mrs. E. R. Putnam.

Taxes—Mrs. W. H. Stubbs.

After the program next year's work was planned.

The Woman's Club is doing splendid work puttnig out flower beds and trying to beautify and clean our town.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Loftin of St. Louis are here visiting the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Austin, of Vanduser.

Miss Mildred Stephens of Springfield is visiting her grandmother, Mrs. Nannie Bransom.

Rev. Doss filled his appointment at the Methodist Church Sunday.

Mrs. Watts of Farmington left Friday for her home after an extended visit here with her daughter, Mrs. C. L. Stubbs.

B. H. Sneary of Chicago came in last Thursday for a short visit with his family at their cottage, "May Haren". They returned to Chicago Monday.

Mrs. E. J. Neinstedt and Mrs. E. R. Putnam shopped in Cape Girardeau last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Evan Burke of Vanduser visited Mrs. James Peal Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Hartzell Brock, Mrs. L. Brock and Mrs. Adams of Benton were visitors at the James Peal home Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Huey have as their guests this week Mrs. Harry Poe of Cape Girardeau.

O. F. Anderson and Tally Huey left this week for Michigan. Mr. Anderson will attend school there.

Mrs. Steward entertained the Woman's Missionary Society Wednesday.

Mrs. Lemons and son, Ross, shopped in Cape Girardeau Thursday. Ross is driving a new Chevrolet.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Scarbrough entertainde Rev. Doss and famliy Sunday.

Robert Graham had several relatives and friends for dinner Sunday, it being his 20th birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. Locke of Cape Girardeau visited relatives here last weekend.

Pinnells Brighten Up Store

Pinnell Store Company have recently brightened up the interior of their two store rooms by painting their side walls white with blue ceiling.

Everything looks fresh and clean and their stock shows off to a better advantage with this bright background.

The Standard, $1.50 per year.

Misses Mildred nad Edith Carter are visiting in St. Louis this week.

Master Wallace Lee Young is visiting his grandparents in Oran this week.

Mrs. Gustine Swannagon and Mrs. Glenn Keller visited in Cape Girardeau Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Edwards of Chicago visited the former's brother, Dr. Edwards and family Thursday.

Mrs. S. A. Culp and daughter, Ada, of St. Louis are visiting Mr. and Mrs. C. C. White. Mrs. Culp is a sister of Mrs. White.

Mesdames Ed Coleman nad Moore Greer will attend a bridge party in Charleston Saturday at the home of Miss Margaret Moore.

Mrs. Weyman Luten of Union City, Tenn., will visit her mother in Charleston for a few weeks before returning to Sikeston for a longer stay.

Mrs. Florence Hart of Cairo and daughter, Mrs. John Farris of St. Louis are guests at the Edgar White home. Mrs. Hart is a sister of Mrs. White.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Wagoner and daughter of Dexter and Mr. and Mrs. Max Miller and daughter of Malden were guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Lampert.

Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Stallcup will leave Saturday morning for Lynn Creek, Mo., where Lynnette Stallcup and Olga Matthews will join a girls' camp for a few weeks.

John B. Baxt of New York City, Wm. Browosky of Manila, Ark., and Mr. and Mrs. Boris Borowsky of New York City, who are on their honeymoon now, are guests at the I. Becker home this week.

Mrs. Will Brooke of Chaffee and Mrs. Frank Litzenfelner of Conran spent Wednesday night in Sikeston the guests of Mr. and Mrs. John La Font. While here they attended the revival at the Baptist church.

SEZ THE SIKESTONIAN

By I. C. SIKESTON

These college boys who used to use a toothpick after dinner (not lunch) and who at one time wore a hat just like other human beings, return home with funny ideas. One of them was up town after supper (not dinner) one night last week and asked in a bored tone, "What does one do for night-life in Sikeston?"

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The head-line in The Standard which read "Dum and Bugle Corps Makes Good Will Tour" was entirely unintentional, but someone was unkind enough to suggest that the mistake was in leaving the "b" off the first word instead of the "r" being omitted which was really the case.

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Judge Jos. W. Myers was formerly a fistcuff artist (boxer) according to his own admission. So that is where he got that turned up nose!

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The pickle packing industry is reviving as a result of the new fad of eating pickles to reduce. Some of these large lumber companies would no doubt pay a tidy sum if someone would devise a plan for using up the surplus sawdust which has accumulated.

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Criminal court judges who preside over trials involving Chicago gangsters are not considered good risks by fire insurance companies, says the Columbia Missourian. We suppose that means there is danger of the judge's houses being burned. How about the customers of the gangsters who buy their liquid wares? Guess the life insurance companies consider them a poor risk for a similar "burning" reason.

INFORMATION ON LATE CROPS

FOR THE BENEFIT OF THOSE WHO HAVE BEEN DROWNED OUT or who wish to replant late crops and vegetables the following information is offered.

Sunflowers are the last button on Gabriel's coat. They may be planted until the middle of July with a reasonable assurance of a good crop. Late corn varieties which may make good crops during the remainder of the summer are: Bloody butcher, ninety-day yellow and white, Minnesota white, white cory. Late varieties should not be planted.

Soybeans are very much like cocklebburs. They will mature before frost no matter when planted. The Virginians will make a good crop planted up to the middle of July. Cowpeas of course can be planted quite late, but do not hasten their maturity like soybeans nor produce so heavy. The shortest season soybean is the Ito San which may be planted until August 1. The shortest season cowpea is the New Era which may be planted late in July.

Vegetables which will yet produce full crops are: Beans, beets, cabbage, carrots, cauliflower, celery, popcorn, sweet corn, cucumbers, endive, kohlrabi, okra, pumpkin and squash. Those that should be planted in beds and the plants reset to the field are cabbage, cauliflower, and celery.

Throughout August and September the following may be planted: Collards, lettuce, peas, radishes, spinach and turnips.

FORDS AND CHEVIES PARADE

About fifteen automobiles loaded with members of the Ford team of young people of the Baptsit church paraded through the streets of Sikeston Wednesday night. The Chevrolets, the opposing team, were to hold their parade Thursday night. The contest, which is for the largest attendance at the young people's meetings at he church is very close. The Chevrolets led by a single point Thursday with two nights more for the conteste to run.

Miss Jessie Bolling of Cape Girardeau spent the week-end in Sikeston the guest of Miss Lillian Putnam.

Mr. and Mrs. George Anderson and daughter and Miss Ida Law of Point Pleasant visited Mr. and Mrs. Robert Law, Wednesday.

Mesdames Ray Oliver, E. J. Malone, Jr., E. B. Buchanan, Earl Johnson and Miss Lillia Putnam were in Cape Girardeau Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Osburn and son, Robert, of Edgemont, South Dakota, who have been visiting relatives in Dayton, Ohio, and M. Q. Tanner and family of St. Louis are spending a few days in Sikeston the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Handy Smith. Mr. and Mrs. Ranney Applegate were hosts to the Osburns for 12 o'clock dinner on Wednesday. Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Applegate were hosts to the Osburns at 6:00 o'clock dinner Wednesday evening and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Van Horne were hosts to them at 12:00 o'clock dinner Thursday. They will continue on their homeward journey Friday.

BASEBALL

Sunday, July 1

FAIRGROUND PARK, SIKESTON, MO.

Sikeston
vs.
Osceola, Ark.

The Osceola team is one of the strongest in that section, having defeated Senatobia, Miss., and other strong Southern teams. This team plays week-day baseball and will come to Sikeston loaded for the locals.
Pitcher for Osceola: Lefty Alexander or Red Mickey. Alexander has lost only one game this season and Mickey is a former Southern League pitcher.
Battery for Sikeston: Martin, Schweatman and Bowman or Limbaugh.

Game Called 3 P. M. Admission 25c-50c

TAYLOR AUTOMOBILE HOLDS FORMAL OPENING WEDNESDAY

The formal opening of the Taylor Garage in its new home on West Front Street was celebrated in connection with the eleventh anniversary of the garage in Sikeston Wednesday night with enterainment and dancing.

About 600 persons attended the opening and more than eighty couples were on the dance floor. The orchestra for the occasion was made up of local musicians. The following played: Paul Slinkard, trumphet; Miss Lillian Shields, piano; Miss Helen Welsh. violin; Otis Tayolr, bass; Ray Hudson ,saxaphone; Harley Mathis, clarinet anl Brandy Payne, drums.

The new home of the garage, which was formrely the Mecca, has been completely remodeled and has been made most attractive both inside and out.

The program which was given was thoroughly enjoyed by the crowd and many encores were given.

Rev. Carlton Lathrop of Cape Girardeau was hte guest of Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Beck Thursday evening.

Charles Scott and Mrs. Jewell Allen, who are in the Emergency Hospital, are getting along nicely.

Mrs. Blount F. Davidson of Chaffee visited with her husband, Rev. Davidson. who is leading the singing at the Baptist revival this week.

Mrs. Earl Pate is visiting in Dexter this week.

Miss Margaret Bowman of Dermott, Ark., who is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Bowman, spent last week-end in Dexter.

FOR SALE—Graham truck, 1-ton, good condition, cheap.—Ables and Taylor.

FOR SALE—Fine grade Blue Peas. Reasonable price. Phone Mrs. M. V. Francis, New Madrid, Mo.

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REASONS WHY SMITH SIGNED BILL REPEALING NEW YORK DRY LAW

New York, June 25.—Following is a summary of the salient points of Gov. Smith's message of June 2, 1923, in which he gave his reasons for signing the Cuvillier bill, repealing the Mullan-Gage state prohibition enforcement act:

"The question is whether all vestige of the rights of the states guaranteed by the Federal Constitution is to be driven from our political theory of government", the Governor stated in his message. "The Federal Government has no right to impose upon the state any obligation to pass any statute affirmatively embodying any federal statute".

The Governor gave some attention in his message to the question that is uppermost at present in the Houston convention—the effect of his action on his own political future.

"Much has been said in the public prints with respect to the effect my action on this bill will have upon my own political future", he said. **I have no political future that I am willing to attain by the sacrifice of any principle or any conviction of what, in my mind, is for the welfare and benefit of this state and nation".**

The Governor in his message declared that the whole treatment of the prohibition question had been marked by hpocrisy and the carrying of water on both shoulders. He said the country was looking for some constructive forward-looking suggestion disregarding the fanatical "wets" and fanatical "drys" alike.

He suggested that the one-half of 1 per cent limitation in the Volstead act should be replaced by a more flexible provision with a higher maximum which could be applied in states that so desired while the others could be left free to retain the present standard.

In his message the Governor embodied a warning that repeal of the law would not lessen the obligation of the peace officers in the state to enforce to the letter its twin brother, the Volstead act.

"Let it be understood", said the Governor, "that this really does not in the slightest degree lessen the obligation of the peace officers of the states to enforce in its strictest letter the Volstead act, and warning to the effect is herein contained as coming from the chief executive of the State of New York."

Gov. Smith gave this assurance to those who were apprehensive that the repeal meant the return of the saloon:

"With all the earnestness that I am able to bring to my command let me assure the thousands of people who wrote me on this subject and the citizens of the state generally, that **the repeal of the Mullan-Gage law would not and cannot by any stretch of the imagination bring back into existence the saloon, which is, and ought to be, a defunct institution in this country, and any attempt at its re-establishment by a construction of he executive attitude will be forcefully and vigorously suppressed".**

He scouted the idea that repeal of the law would involve nullification of the eighteenth amendment so far as this State was concerned.

"The mere omission to maintain a state statute in no way abrogates a federal statute", he said.

The Governor maintained that the contention of the "drys" that the concurrent power of enforcement lodged in the states by the prohibition amendment and imposed the duty to maintain a state enforcement law, was untenable and undoubtedly had its origin in "their own frame of mind" on the subject of prohibition.

Gov. Smith added that he had reached the conclusion that enforcement of the prohibition laws could be best maintained by the Federal Government and that, with the responsibility no longer divided as the result of separate state enforcement, the authorities at Washington would be keyed up to keener realization and mort effective performance of the duty resting on them.

In his message the Governor declared the repeal of the state law would do away with double jjeopardy of State and Federal prosecution for the violation of the eighteenth amendment.

"Over and beyond all this", he said, "I believe the approval of this repeal will reawaken in the public mind the the fundamental conception of the law of the land and re-establish, beyond doubt, what constitutes the essentials of the relation between the Federal Government and the sovereign states of the Union".

He made some pointed comment on the letter written by the late President Harding to Dr. Wesley Wait of New Burgh, N. Y., in which the President declared that repeal of the Mullan-Gage law would be a calamity.

The Governor said that the President erred in declaring that because the Federal Government did not have as elaborate machinery as the State for law enforcement, that the states severally were obligated to maintain separate statutes for the enforcement of the Volstead act. He said that this view represented an encroachment upon the soverign rights of the States.

"With all respect to the President of the United States, I must here reassert this principle against his challenge and **as the chief extcutive of the greatest sovereignty in the Union, it is my duty to declare and maintain that sovereignty in exact accordance with the guarantees of the Constitution".**

The Governor gave the following constructive suggestion to relieve the country of the perplexing prohibition question:

"It seems to me that common sense backed up by good medical opinion can find a more scientific definition of what constitutes an intoxicating beverage. Such a definition should be adopted by Congress as a proper and reasonable amendment of the Volstead act and a maximum alcoholic content should be prescribed by Congress which would limit all states to traffic in liquors which are in fact nonintoxicating within the meaning of the eighteenth amendment.

"Subject to that iimitation each State should thereafter be left free to deermine for itself what should constitute an intoxicating beverage. States which then wished to limit traffic to beverages containing not more than one-half of one per cent of alcohol would be free to do so and thse who desired to extend the traffic to the maximum limitation allowed by Federal statute would be equally free to do so.

"There could be, within the limitations of the maximum, many differneces of degree, extending even to the complete prohibition by some states of tra.c in liquor containing any alcohol whatever.

"This would be in keeping with the freedom and liberty of different states with differing local conditions to legislate for themselves, subject always to the maximum limitation enacted by Congress which should be paramount".

GUINEA FOWL SOMETIMES GO BACK TO WILD STATE

Guinea fowls have been domesticated all over the United States, especially in the South, comments a scientist of the United States Department of Agriiulture, and have had plenty of opportunities to escape to the wild. They have shown little indication of desiring to do so, and this seems rather surprising, in view of the fact that they have done so in some of the islands of the West Indies. They were certainly introduced long ago into most of these islands and are now found in a wild state in Jamaica, Cuba, Porto Rico, Dominican Republic, and a few of the Lesser Antilles. Where the mongoose is present it preys extensively on guinea fowl and keeps their numbers much in check. On Barbuda, in the Lesser Antilles, which was made into a sort of game preserve more than 200 years ago, the birds still flourish. Wild guinea fowl have been directly introduced into the Southeastern States in recent years, but the outcome of these experiments is not yet known.

Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Lindsay of Cape Girardeau were visitors to Sikeston Wednesday.

The L. A. W. Class of the Christian church held their regular meeting with Mrs. A. L. Swaim Tuesday evennig.

ACES BEAT MERCHANTS 2-0 AND CINCH OPENING HALF

Dudley's Aces cinched first place in the opening half of the Sikeston Municpial Baseball League Tuesday afternoon with a 2 to 0 win over the Merchants in a hard fought game.

There are three remaining games and each of the other three teams has a chance for second place. The Highways and Internationals were scheduled for Thursday afternoon. A victory for the Highways would tie them with the Merchants and the Internationals must win their remaining two while the Merchants lose one in order for them to occupy second place.

In setting the Merchants down Tuesday, the youngsters from Dud's place had to play real baseball as Tom Malone is developing a strong baseball team in the short time which he has been manager. New players are being added in every game and the old ones shifted to the best advantage.

Ben Sells, pitcher for the Aces, set nine Merchant batters down on strikes and had flawless support from his team mates, not an error being registered against the Chinatown team. Sells did not allow a hit until the fourth inning and only three hits were registered in the game against him.

Cecil Smith, who made his initial appearance in the Muny League Tuesday, started as pitcher for the Merchants and behind more frequent hitting by his own team would have made a fine showing. He is a promising player and will doubtless start for Manager Malone in following games.

The Aces' runs came in the fifth inning. Hubert, the youngest of the ball playing Burrus brothers, got a single, stole second and Sells was safe on Beard's error. Burrus was out at the plate, but Lancaster was safe on the fields' choice. Sells and Lancaster then scored on Dudley's long double, the first ball pitched by Acord, who relieved Smith.

The score by innings:

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
Merchants	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Aces	0	0	0	0	2	0	x

The box score:

Merchants	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Edwards, ss	2	0	0	1	2	0
S. Bloomfield, 1b	3	0	1	9	0	0
D. Bloomfield, c	3	0	0	3	0	0
Hom. Burrus, 2b	3	0	0	1	0	0
Martin, lf	3	0	0	0	1	1
Beard, rf	2	0	1	1	1	1
Kindred, cf	2	0	1	3	0	0
Weideman, 3b	2	0	0	0	1	0
Smith, p	1	0	0	0	1	0
Acord, p	1	0	0	0	1	0
Totals	22	0	3	18	7	2

Aces	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Lancaster, rf	3	1	1	0	0	0
Dudley, 1b	3	0	1	7	0	0
Hor. Burrus, 2b	3	0	0	1	3	0
Bowman, c	3	0	1	10	0	0
Crain, cf	3	0	0	1	0	0
Swaim, lf	3	0	1	1	0	0
Welmuth, ss	3	0	2	0	3	0
Hu. Burrus, 3b	3	0	1	0	0	0
Sells, p	2	1	0	1	1	0
Totals	26	2	7	21	7	0

Summary—Two-base hits: Dudley. Left on bases: Aces 6, Merchants 2. Double plays: Welmuth to Burrus to Dudley; Dudley to Sells. First off balls: Off Sells 1. Struck out by Sells 9, by Smith 1. Losing pitcher, Smith. Umpires: Bowman and Blanton.

WHO, WHEN, WHY AND OTHER MUNICIPAL LEAGUE NOTES

About 300 persons saw the game Tuesday. The crowds at the Muny games have been good all season and the collection which has been taken up each time has just about been enough to pay for the baseballs used. Certainly is strange how interested some people can get in the clouds when the dime basket comes their way.

Among the new faces in the play Tuesday were a couple of short stops who looked mighty good. Welmuth, playing his second game with the Aces, fields well and takes a good cut at the old apple.

Edwards, new short stop for the Merchants, is a real "hot-ball" artist. He robbed Dudley of a hit in the first inning, handling a hard hit ball and making a perfect throw while apparently off balance.

There was some discussion as to whether Dess Bloomfield was out or not on first base for the third out in the first inning.

"He was not out", Umpire Blanton was informed as he strutted in for a drink of water.

"Well", the ump said, "You see that the side has retired don't you? He must have been out then".

Big Burrus and Ben Sells both did something which doesn't happen very often. Burrus fanned three times in three trips to the plate for his share of the unexpected and Ben is the boy who fanned him. Everything Ben had was working good Tuesday.

Cecil Smith, the new Merchants pitcher, was a basketball and football star at Blodgett. He has the makings of a good ball player and will be heard from again this year.

The standings of the teams before Thursday's game:

	WON	LOST	PCT.
Dudley's Aces	6	2	.750
Merchants	4	4	.500
Highways	3	4	.428
Internationals	2	5	.285

A win for the Highways would give them a .500 percentage and a tie with the Merchants for second place. If the Internationols have the victory their percentage will be .375 and the Highways .387.

Notice Of Application To Form Drainage District, Under Article 1 Of Chapter 28 Of the 1919 Revised Statutes and Amendments Thereto.

Notice is hereby given to all persons interested in the following described real estate and other property in Scott County, Missouri, which said real estate and other property is described as follows, to-wit:

In Township 27, North Range 13 East:

The east half and the east half of the west half and the east half of the northwest quarter of the southwest quarter and the east half of the west half of the northwest quarter all in section 20;

All of section 21;

All of the fractional south half and the south half of the north half of section 22;

All of fractional section 27;

All of section 28;

The east half and the east half of the west half and the east half of the southwest quarter of the northwest quarter and the east half of the west half of the southwest quarter of section 29;

The east half and the east half of the west half and the east half of the west half of the west half of section 32;

All of section 33;

All of fractional section 34;

All of the above described real estate is in township 27, north range 13 east, Scott County, Missouri.

And the following real estate:

In Township 26, North Range 13 East, Scott County, Missouri:

All of fractional section 2;

All of section 3;

All of section 4;

The east three-fourths of section 5;

The east three-fourths of section 8;

All of section 9;

All of section 10;

The west three-fourths of fractional section 11;

All of section 14, except 40 acres being the northeast quarter of the northeast quarter of said section 14:

All of section 15;

All of section 16;

The east three-fourths of section 17;

The east three-fourths of section 20;

All of section 21;

All of section 22;

All of section 23;

The west half of the west half of fractional section 25;

All of section 26;

All of section 27;

All of section 28;

The east three-fourths of section 29;

Included in the lands above described are railroad and public road, rights-of-way of the St. Louis-San Francisco Railway Company and the Missouri Paci fic Railroad Company and the State of Missouri and the County of Scott and the Sikeston Special Road District.

That Articles of Association asking that the foregoing lands and other property be formed into a Drainage District under the provisions of Article 1, Chapter 28 Revised Statutes 1919 and amendments thereto, and that the lands and other property as above described will be effected by the formation of said Drainage District and be rendered liable to taxation for the purposes of paying the expenses of organizing and making and maintaining the improvements that may be found necessary to drain, protect and reclaim the lands and other property in said District and you and each of you are hereby notified to appear at the next term of this Court to be held on the 13th day of August, 1928, at Bento in Scott County, Missouri, and sho cause, if any there be, why sai Drainage District as set forth in th Articles of Association shall not b organized as a public corporation o the State of Missouri.

Witness my hand and official se this 27th day of June, 1928.

(SEAL)

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Clerk of the Circuit Court of Scot County, Missouri.



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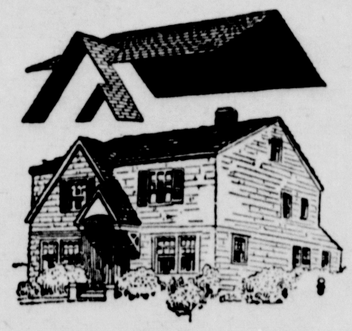
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KINSMEN OF CURTIS ARE OVERSHADOWED BY LARGER TRIBES

Washington, June 25.—The Kaw tribe hold an obscure place in the history of the American Indian, but it has given to the country in Charles Curtis of Kansas, Republican vice presidential nominee, the first candidate for that office to trace his descent to the original inhabitants of America.

One of the Southwestern Siouan group, the Kaw tribe, also known as the Kansa, has been characterized throughout its known history by conservatism. Studies of the American aborigines conducted by the Bureau of American Ethnology, which is directed by the Smithsonian Institution, indicate that its small size probably had soemthing to do with this trait.

It apparently never exceeded 1500 families, a group too small to produce warrior chiefs of historic magnitude except in association with related tribes. Such association probably existed, for Senator Curtis' grandmother, Julie Poppin, who had much to do with rearing him during his boyhood, was a daughter of Chief White Plume and a grand-daughter of Pawhuska, chief of the Osages, the tribe most closely related linguistically to the Kaws.

The Kaws, however, figured only slightly in the history of the country until after the beginning of the series consisted of about twelve nineteenth century, and never were credited with an important part in frontier affairs. By 1850 they had dwindled to about 1700 individuals and by 1905 to 205, of whom only 90 were full-bloods, attacks by more powerful enemies and epidemics of smallpox having wiped out large numbers of them.

The conservatism of the Kaw elders had become their dominant trait by the time Curtis was born on their reservation in Kansas. Although his mother sent him to Quaker missionary school, he was one of the few allowed to attend. An effort by the Methodists to carry Christianity and education to the tribe some years earlier had similarly failed. The tribal elders not only rejected the religion and studies of the white man, but they refused to live in the houses provided for them by the government, regarding their own earth lodges as more healthful and comfortable.

Those lodges were circular in form. The roof was supported by two series of rough vertical posts, forked at the top to hold the transverse connecting pieces. The outer posts five or six feet high, and the liner series of eight longer posts. Poles were extended in radial formation between the connecting pieces of these two circles, leaving a small opening in the center to serve as a smoke hole. These poles served as rafters, slender sticks or twigs being laid across them and fastened in place with bark cord. The frame-work was then thatched with bark or mats or reed or grass and covered with earth, which was banked up to the eaves from the ground.

The principal occupation of the men of the tribe was the hunting of buffalo until that animal was practically exterminated. After that, forced by necessity, they tried farming, but had little success despite the efforts of government advisors. The surviving members of the tribe, however, were long ago adjudged competent to handle thier own affairs instead of being held under the protection of the government as its wards.

BIG CELEBRATION FOR DEDICATION OF BRIDGE SEPT. 3 IS PLANNED

Cape Girardeau, June 28.—Plans for the extensive celebration combining ceremonies incident to the dedication of the Cape Girardeau Bridge and the celebrating of the adoption of the Mississippi River Flood Control Bill have been announced by officials of the Bridge Company and the Chamber of Commerce.

The celebration will be held in Cape Girardeau on September 3, Labor Day, and will also be staged in conjunction with the State Convention of the American Legion which opens its two-day session that day.

The celebration, to be almost nation-wide in character, should bring to Cape Girardeau the largest crowd in history in the opinion of Anthony A. Buford, publicity director for the traffic bridge.

In connection with the celebration of adoption of flood control legislation, invitations will be extended to leaders in the movement throughout the Middle West and because of the size of the territory involved, the celebration should bring here leaders from the entire Mississippi valley, Buford said.

All flood control work on the river will start from Cape Girardeau, this place having been designated by Congress as the point where the actual harnessing of the river must start.

Invitations will be extended to Gov. Sam A. Baker of Missouri, Gov. Len Small of Illinois, Senator Harry B. Hawes, junior senator from Missouri, Secretary of War Dwight Davis and dozens of other prominent men from Missouri, Illinois and other States.

Congressman Frank Reid of Illinois, chairman of the House Flood Committe and one of the leaders for years for adequate flood control, will be invited, and is expected to be one of the principal speakers at the flood celebration.

Mayor William Hale Thompson, Mayor Victor Miller of St. Louis and the mayors of Memphis, Tenn., New Orleans, La., and other larger cities along the river will also be asked to be present.

While the program has not been completed in detail, there will be a parade to be arranged under supervision of Secretary W. F. D. Batjer of the Chamber of Commerce, dedication ceremonies for the bridge, and other interesting features for the day.

The celebration will essentially be one for both Southern Illinois and Southern Missouri and invitations will be extended to all mayors, civic officials and all citizens to be present and participate.

The new Cape Girardeau Bridge will afford a new short route from Chicago through Memphis to points South and Southwest. For Missouri it will open a new short route to Kentucky, South and other Southeast points and one of the most important features of this new structure will be the fact that it will open up a new Eastern Gateway to the Ozarks for tourists of Illinois, Kentucky and Indiana and other States East of the Mississippi River.

Engineer P. V. Pennybacker has assured officials of the bridge company that the span, the first traffic bridge between St. Louis and Memphis, will be ready by the date set for the formal opening.

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METHODIST CHURCH

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Evening service 8 o'clock. Sermon by the pastor. Theme: Vision and Action. Big chorus will sing. Come and bring your friends.

Epworth Leagues at regular hours.

Mid-week service at 7:30. Something different next week. Come.

Men's Bible Class Specials

Sunday three big features are going to be presented to the class. No member should be away. Come and help plan the work, and then you will get a joy out of helping to work the plan. Although the day and number are "unlucky," still the Men's Bible class is not afraid The officers and "Motivators" have set Friday, the 13th as time for Big Barbecue. It will be in Malone Park. All committees will be named Sunday.

And then too, there are two other big features to be planned Sunday you will be interested in, so let every "Motivator" be on his toes and get word to every member of his group. Mrs. R. L. Burns sings Sunday. Men be on time. 9:30 is the hour. Last Sunday two men were late. Say, men, lets not let that happen again. All officers and teachers of the school will "check in" for the three months just ahead, beginning Sunday. Let's see how high our average on "on times" can be for the quarter.

To whip cream successfully you must have the cream and the bowl very cold. If the kitchen is hot, it is better to whip the cream out of doors, using a dover beater. Or stand the cream bowl in a pan of crackel ice. To obtain the best whip it is well to use cream that contains at least 30 per cent butterfa and that has aged at least 24 hours.

RED CLOVER IS KEY-STONE OF PROSPERITY

Red clover or a mixure of clovers is the keystone of a permanent system of agriculture in Missouri and no other crop can take its place. The reasons for the importance of clover to the Missouri farmer are summed up by C. E. Carter of the Missouri College of Agriculture on Clover and Prosperity Days as follows:

A crop rotation including legumes is absolutely necessary in order to maintain soil fertility and insure legume feed for livestock. In the second place clover fits into our cropping system better than any other legume because it does not require extra cultivation to get a stand as in the case of soybeans or cowpeas. In a crop rotation clover is superior to alfalfa because once alfalfa is seeded it should be allowed to stand for a period of years. Besides this, alfalfa cannot be grown successfully on many of our soils. Likewise Red clover or Red clover and alsike mixtures can be grown on a number of soils where the supply of lime would not be sufficient to grow sweet clover successfully.

Lime does help the stand of red clover materially in many cases, however, as indicated by the illustration the Krenning farm in St. Louis county where the entire field was limed except for the check strip which was not limed and where the clover proved less hardy and died out the first year.

There is little or no justification for the farmer trying to find some new legume that will take the place of clover. All legumes have their place in our scheme of farming but none is superior to red clover for the average Missouri farm.

Wm. P. Slayton, All Missouri half back who has had five years successful coaching experience, will be Head Coach at the Chillicothe Business College next year assisted by Coaches Lail and Howard.

BAPTIST MEETING TO END SUNDAY NIGHT—YOUNG PEOPLE'S CONTEST ON

The meeting which has been going on at the Baptist church for the past four weeks will close Sunday night. The Rev. W. Greene Winans, who is now conducting the services, Rev. Blunt Davidson, who is leading the singing, and the Rev. S. P. Brite, pastor, said that the meeting had been a success from every angle. About forty conversions have been made so far.

A big feature of the meeting is the young people's meetings which are held at 7:15 o'clock nightly and are over just before the regular service. The young people have been divided into two teams, the Fords and the Chevrolets who are vieing for honors for the best attendance.

The contest is based on the number present on time and the total number present. Two points are given for each person present at 7:15 when the meeting starts and one point for each additional one who comes in. The contest has been nip-and-tuck since its beginning about two weeks ago with very few points difference between the teams. The Fords are captained by Ruth Mathis and Mary Stuppy is the leader of the Chevrolets.

The contest will end tonight (Friday) and Saturday morning both teams will be entertained with a breakfast at the church. Several members of the losing team are to be "initiated" into a very mysterious order.

These meetings have attracted much attention, the attendance has increased from a few to 331 Tuesday night. And an increased number is expected for the remaining time of the contest.

The Rev. Winans preaches short, peppy sermonettes, to the young folks which are cram full of interesting subjects which cause his audiences to think.

The sermons for the remainder of the meeting have been announced by Rev. Winans. Tonight (Friday) he will speak on "One Question God Cannot Answer", and Saturday night he will have as a subject "When Winter Comes".

There will be three meetings held Sunday. At 11 o'clock the subject will be "On the Firing Line". A meeting for men only will be held Sunday afternoon at 3:00 o'clock on "Hooch, Chickens and Jazz"—or, in other words—the old, yet ever new lesson on Wine, Women and Song. For the closing sermon to the meeting, Rev. Winans has selected "And He Said, 'Tomorrow' ".

In connection with the Friday and Saturday night meetings there will be special music. Friday night Miss Lizetta Wehling, soloist of the First Baptist Church of Chaffee will sing and Saturday night the orchestra of the first Baptist Church of Chaffee under the direction of Lt. O. T. Honey will play.

Following the meeting here the Rev. Winans will open a Union meeting in De Soto on July 8 in which all of the churches of De Soto will take part. The Rev. Davidson, who is pastor of the First Baptist Church of Chaffee will return there.

TOWN FOREST PROVIDES FUEL FOR MUNICIPAL BUILDINGS

A town forest that provides fuel for schools, timbers for local bridges and town buildings, and hundreds of cords of wood for distillation has been owned by the town of Warner, N. H., since 1919. The tract includes 800 acres of the tops and slopes of the Mink Hills, in the southern part of the town. It was acquired a part at a time by the late Senator William E. Chandler, who was accustomed to spend his summers in the neighboring village of Waterloo, and, in accordance with Mr. Chandler's wishes, after his death was presented by his son to the town.

Mr. Chandler had improved the tract by planting old fields and building roads and trails, and it included not only areas of young growth and thousands of cords of wood, but fine stands of merchantable timber. Nevtheless the gift was not accepted without warm discussion in town meeting, some of the townspeople expressing grave misgivings over the "venture". During its first winter as town property the forest supplied 100 cords of wood for the heating of the town house, library, and schools, and a cut of lumber that busied a woods crew for several weeks and sold profitably. In the second winter cuttings of hardwoods for liberation of pine provided more than 100 cords of fuel wood, of which the portion not needed for public purposes was sold to the twnspeople at less than the commercial price.

In decisions relating to the management of the forest the forest committee of the town has availed itself of the advice of the State forestry department.

Open areas on the forest have been planted with pine and spruce, and the whole tract has been protected from blister rust. The income from the forest, besides paying for this work, has built up a town forest fund of $2200.

PEP ASSOCIATION MEETS

Between 75 and 100 visitors attended the Tri-County Pep Association pep meeting at the Odd Fellows Hall Tuesday night. Members of the I. O. O. F. and Rebekahs from Cape Girardeau, Mississippi and Scott Counties attended the meeting which was presided over by John Williams, president of the Association of Charleston. A program was given, talks were heard and refreshments were served.

NEW JOHN DEERE MAN HERE

Ernest Hedden of Paris, Mo., is the new John Deere Plow Company manager in Southeast Missouri, succeeding Willis Cunningham. Mr. Hedden was in Sikeston Tuesday and Wednesday. He will probably make his headquarters in Cape Girardeau.

TO THE PUBLIC

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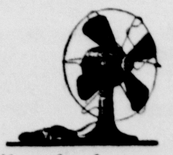
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Mrs. W. H. Carter is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Rex Cook and family in Carbondale, Ill., this week.

While Paris cops are crusading against fresh-air kissing, we wonder if they'll pinch an American tourist for kissing his last dollar goodbye.—Chicago Daily News.

If a woman's hips are large in proportion to her waist and bust, she should choose long vertical lines from the shoulder to the floor in designing her dresses. These lines may be stripes in the material, bands, or rows of trimming, rows of buttons, tucks and son on.

An easy dinner menu for wash-day may be acceptable: Cold sliced corn beef or other meat, vegetable curry, radishes, baked bananas. You can use various vegetables in the curry, but a combination contains rice, onion, carrots, fresh or canned peas, celery, in about equal amounts and seasoning. Cook the rice first. Cook the vegetables the necessary length of time for each in small amount of water. Make a ring of the rice, and put the vegetables in the middle, pouring over them a sauce made of the vegetable water, seasoned with curry, salt, pepper or Worcestershire sauce and butter.

Financial Statement of Scott Co. for Year Ending March 31, 1928

COUNTY REVENUE FUND

Receipts.

To Balance on hand last statement		$25,694.98
To Current Real Estate & Personal Taxes	$49,493.47	
To Current R. R. Telg. & Telephone Taxes	19,810.62	
To Current Merchants Tax	1,500.46	
To Back Taxes Real Estate 1927 & Prior	12,315.33	
To Back Personal Taxes 1927 & Prior	1,039.83	
To Interest on Back Taxes	2,463.12	
To Peddlers License	20.18	
To Pool License	150.19	
To M. E. Montgomery Fees Collected	805.00	
To T. F. Henry, Fees Collected	1,899.26	
To Village of Benton, Water Tax	294.59	
To Bank of Benton, Interest on Daily Deposit	19.21	
To Fees Transferred from fee Book	1,705.45	
To C. D. Harris, refund Hospital No. 4	54.00	
To John Spaulding, County Farm rent	857.75	
To Henry Putz, Treas., Fees due from Cape County	25.75	
To Phoenix Fidelity Insurance Co., loss on County Barn	243.70	
To Brown Jewell, Show License	37.80	92,738.71
To Herman Lufcy, Stenographer Fees	3.00	
		$118,433.69

Disbursements

By Salaries paid to County Officers	30,213.27	
By Books & Stationery Accounts paid	8,096.36	
By Miscl. Accounts paid	18,137.01	
By Temporary relief paid	2,450.00	
By Insane & Hospital Bills paid	15,300.45	
By Interest paid on County Warrants	35.16	
By Accounts paid other than by County Warrant	5,987.00	
By Balance on Hand March 31, 1928	38,214.44	
	$118,433.69	$118,433.69

EXPENDITURES OF SCOTT COUNTY, MISSOURI, FOR FISCAL YEAR COMMENCING

APRIL 1st, 1927 and Ending MARCH 31st, 1928.

County Revenue Fund (Expenditures)

Salaries and Fees of the County Officers.

John W. Heeb, Presiding Judge, Attending Court & Board of Equalization 47 days @ $5.00 per day	$ 235.00
Mileage	12.00
George Buchanan, Judge of the 1st District, Attending Court & Board of Equaligation, 44 days @ $5.00 per day	220.00
Mileage	6.80
Antone Legrand, Judge of the 2nd District, Attending Court & Board of Equalization, 44 days @ $5.00 per day	220.00
A. D. Daniel, Attending Board of Equalization 6 days @ $5.00 per day	30.00
T. F. Henry, Salary Circuit Clerk	2,499.96
M. E. Montgomery, Salary as Prosecuting Attorney	2,509.96
George J. Arnold, Salary as Treasurer of Scott County	3,428.31
E. A. Dye, Sheriff, Attending Court, Board of Prisoners, etc	5,653.46
L. S. Brock, Balance Salary, County Welfare officer	20.00
William Morie, Salary Janitor	1,200.00
Wade Malcolm, Salary County Welfare Officer	900.00
Silas Butler, Salary Engineer Court House	1,200.00
Lorena Norrid, Salary Deputy Circuit Clerk	1,200.00
A. J. Renner, County Farm Agent	3,249.96
John H. Goodin, Salary County Superintendent Schools	2,100.00
J. Sherwood Smith, Fees due County Clerk	3,897.97
Dr. U. P. Haw, Examining School Children & County patients	258.50
George C. Bean, Attending Board of Equalization, 6 days, @ $5.00 per day	30.00
George C. Bean, Making Assessment Books for County	1,341.45
Total Salary paid to County Officers	$30,213.37

EXPENDITURES FOR BOOKS & STATIONERY FOR COUNTY OFFICERS.

Scott County Democrat, Printing for County officers	$ 101.80
Illmo Jimplicute, Envelopes for Collector	9.75
Standard Printing Co., Printing for Recorder	28.08
Sikeston Standard, Printing & Supplies	111.20
J. W. Beal, Printing & Supplies	119.90
Inland Printing Co., Printing & Supplies	37.24
Buxton-Skinner Stationery Co., Printing & Supplies	69.88
Hammond & Stephens, Supplies for County Supt. Schools	8.14
McCormick Mathis Co., Supplies for County Supt. Schools	48.05
Scott County Democrat, Supplies for County officers	91.25
Illmo Jimplicute, Supplies for County officers	7.50
Sikeston Herald, Notices for Collector	9.00
Chaffee Signal, Notices for Collector	7.00
Hugh Stephens Printing Co., Printing for County Officers	87.20
J. W. Beall, Printing for County Officers	156.26
Geo. D. Barnard Stationery Co., Printing for County Officers	20.01
Skinner-Kennedy Stationery Co., Supplies for Recorder	74.06
Scott County Democrat, Supplies for County officers	114.00
Geo. D. Barnard, Supplies for Circuit Clerk	33.07
Inland Printing Co., Supplies for Circuit Clerk	93.11
Skinner-Kennedy Stationery Co., Supplies for Recorder	24.25
Illmo Jimplicute, Printing & Supplies	18.50
Buxton Skinner, Stationery Co., Supplies	114.12
Hugh Stephens Printing Co., Printing	23.80
Hammond-Stephens, Supplies for Supt. Schools	22.30
Sikeston Standard, Notices for Collector	28.00
Sikeston Herald, Printing for County officers	1.35
Buxton-Skinner, Printing & Supplies for County officer	101.17
Dr. U. P. Haw, Stationery	21.75
J. W. Beall, File for Probate Judge	21.62
Scott County Democrat, Printing	154.00
George D. Barnard Stationery Co., Supplies for County officers	118.53
Hugh-Stephens Printing Co., Printing	8.59
Standard Printing Co., Supplies for County officers	34.50
J. W. Beall, Supplies	426.91
Buxton-Skinner, Printing & Supplies	62.77
Skinner-Kennedy Stationery Co., Printing & Supplies	62.59
Scott County Democrat, Printing & Supplies	215.75
Keystone Envelope Co., Envelopes for Circuit Clerk	38.84
Sikeston Herald, Printing for Recorder	10.00
Buxton-Skinner Stationery Co., Printing	14.80
Inland Printing Co., Printing for County officers	173.47
Illmo Jimplicute, Printing	6.75
Geo. D. Barnard Stationery Co., Supplies & printing	16.50
Hammond-Stephens, Supplies Supt. of Schools	30.29
Buxton-Skinner Stationery Co., Printing & Supplies	8.14
Gardner Office Supply Co., Legal Blanks	4.63
Scott County Democrat, Printing	79.75
J. W. Beall & Son, Supplies & Printing	300.25
Sikeston Standard, Printing	52.75
Standard Printing Co., Printing & Supplies	7.21
J. W. Beall & Son, Supplies	6.25
Scott County Democrat, Printing	143.35
Inland Printing Co., Supplies & Printing	299.86
Mississippi Valley Printing Co., Printing & Stationery	23.35
Hugh-Stephens Printing Co., Printing & Supplies	525.51
Buxton-Skinner Stationery Co., Printing & Supplies	22.53
Skinner-Kennedy Stationery Co., Printing & Supplies	71.58
Scott County Democrat, Printing	121.15
Hugh-Stephens Printing Co., Printing & Supplies	237.10
J. W. Beall & Son, Printing	48.50
Mississippi Valley Printing Co., Supplies for County officers	7.50
Sikeston Herald, Printing	20.26
Sikeston Herald, Supplies School Supt	.80
Buxton-Skinner Stationery Co., Supplies & Printing	257.49
Hammond-Stephens, Supplies School Supt	30.29
Fidelity Pencil Co., Pencils	5.19
J. W. Beall & Son, Supplies	225.19
Skinner-Kennedy Stationery Co., Supplies & Printing	36.88
Buxton-Skinner Stationery Co., Printing	15.76
Sikeston Herald, Printing for Sheriff	10.00
Sikeston Herald, Printing for Sheriff	.80
Scott County Democrat, Printing	176.50
Chaffee Signal, Printing	8.00
Chaffee Signal, Printing Financial Statement	480.00
Sikeston Herald, Printing for Sheriff	8.00
Sikeston Herold, Printing for Sheriff	14.00
Illmo Jimplicute, Printing & Supplies	112.55
Mississippi Valley Printing Co., Printing	42.50
Vaco Static Carbon Co., Carbon paper	16.80
Sikeston Standard, Printing	20.50
Scott County Democrat, Supplies & Printing	140.75
J. W. Beall & Son, Supplies & Printing	87.13
Buxton-Skinner Stationery Co., Printing & Supplies	266.41
Chaffee Signal, Printing for Collector	10.00
Skinner-Kennedy, Supplies	7.80
J. W. Beall & Son, Supplies & Printing	175.79
Sikeston Herald, Printing for Collector	15.00
Hugh Stephens Printing Co., Supplies	63.06
Standard Printing Co., Supplies	56.58
Scott County Democrat, Printing	124.50
J. W. Beall & Son, Supplies	3.21
Hugh Stephens, Printing & Supplies	89.24
George D. Barnard Stationery Co., Printing & Supplies	44.05
Sikeston Standard, Printing for County officers	5.25
Sikeston Herald, Printing for County officers	9.00
Buxton-Skinner Stationery Co., Printing for County officers	41.33
Sikeston Herald, Supplies for Sheriff	20.50
Inland Printing Co., Printing & Supplies	69.06
Illmo Jimplicute, Printing	45.95
George D. Barnard, Supplies for Supt. of Schools	29.43
Chaffee Signal, Printing & Supplies	20.00
Skinner-Kennedy, Printing for County Clerk	29.75
Scott County Democrat, Printing for County officers	324.00
	$8,096.36

MISCELLANEOUS EXPENDITURES FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING MARCH 31st., 1928.

George J. Arnold, Freight Bills	$ 175.35
J. Sherwood Smith, Deputy Salary	125.00
J. H. Goodin, Traveling Expenses	52.96
J. C. Diebold, Painting at County Farm	90.00
Montgomery & Son, Transcript State Case	9.12
Benton Hotel, Board of Jurors	26.00
L. A. Diebold, Work at County Farm	94.13
Missouri Public Utilities, Light & Power for Court House	24.48
Remington Typewriter Co., Typewriter	56.75
Southwestern Bell Telephone Co., Phone Rent for Court House	26.50
McDonald Coal Co., Car Coal	106.47
John Spalding, Freight	3.96
J. C. Dierckson, Work at County farm	15.00
Bentzinger Bros. Supplies for Court House	15.44
C. A. Leedy (W. H. Heisserer), Supplies County farm & Jail	55.02
Pittsburg Plate Glass Co., Supplies	66.82
Pittsburg Plate Glass Co., Supplies	13.22
W. H. Heisserer, Commission on Paint	8.00
Joe Rivers, Bounty on 1 Bob Cat Scalp	5.00
August Heeb, Bounty on 1 Bob Cat Scalp	5.00
Lambert Mercantile Co., Supplies for County farm & Jail	5.05
Flossie Brothers, Part payment on Financial statement	75.00
Red Cross Fund, Donation	500.00
W. A. Miller, Supplies for Court house	7.00
John H. Goodin, Expense account	54.23
M. E. Montgomery, Expense Account	40.00
E. L. McClintock, Stenographic work	12.00
Cape Foundry & Machine Shop, Welding pump	8.00
Lambert Mercantile Co., Supplies	39.02
P. H. Boyce Mercantile Co., Supplies	8.96
Remington Typewriter Co., Typewriter ribbons	3.50
Benton Auto Co., Use of Car	4.00
West Disinfect Co., Supplies	20.00
Benton Hotel, Board of Jurors	13.00
Southwestern Bell Telephone Co., Phone Rent for court house	26.50
E. A. Dye, Expense on pump	5.00
E. A. Dye, Expense in State Case	26.40
J. Sherwood Smith, Deputy Salary	125.00
Missouri Utilities Co., Light & Power for Court House	197.50
L. T. Davey, Work at court house	16.85
P. H. Boyce Mercantile Co., Supplies	9.14
J. C. Diebold, Painting Pauper Houses	42.50
Dunbar Mill & Lumber Co., Lumber	3.67
George J. Arnold, Freight, etc.,	7.59
Baker-Bowman Hardware C., Supplies for Sheriff	17.00
T. S. Heisserer, Supplies	376.85
W. H. Heisserer, Supplies	82.40
Marshall Land & Mercantile Co., Supplies	6.31
W. L. LeGrand, Work at court house	7.30
Zeno LeGrand, Repairing screens	11.50
George J. Arnold, Freight Bills	170.04
George J. Arnold, Stamp Bill	5.00
L. A. Diebold, Work at county farm	19.20
Louis Dannenmuller, Right of Way	76.00
J. H. Goodin, Expenses	84.26
E. A. Dye, Freight Bills	38.90
J. Sherwood Smith, Deputy Salary	125.00
C. W. Gray, Gravel on Illmo road	300.00
W. H. Heisserer, Supplies for County Farm & Jail	38.71
Southwester Bell Telephone Co., Phone Rent for Court House	33.59
Victor Bollinger, Work at jail	1.50
J. C. Diebold, Painting at County Farm	65.00
American Disinfect Co., Disinfect for court house	104.46
American Disinfect Co., Disinfect for court house	68.20
J. C. Dierckson, Work at County farm	7.00
Sikeston Laundry, Laundry for petit Jury beds	3.57
E. A. Dye, Cost painting boilers	36.75
Chaffee Hardware Co., Supplies	7.05
Lambert Mercantile Co., Supplies	1.75
Lambert Mercantile Co., Supplies	5.75
Lambert Mercantile Co., Supplies	1.35
A. J. Delay, 3 Wolf & 5 Bob Cat Scalps	55.00
J. H. Goodin, Expense	48.46
Missouri Public Utilities, Light & Power	16.83
L. T. Davey, Plumbing at Jail	14.23
E. A. Dye, Concreting at Jail	39.83
Dunbar Mill & Lumber Co., Lumber for jail	1.62
J. T. Martin, Brushes for Court House	5.25
Midland Chemical Co., Supplies	19.50
T. S. Heisserer & Co., Supplies	11.90
Royalton Energy Coal Co., Car coal	139.07
J. I. Holcomb, Disinfect for court house	23.20
Remington Typewriter Co., Typewriter ribbons	4.85
Fuller Brush Co., Brushes	3.10
W. H. Heisserer, Supplies	85.94
J. C. Diebold, Work at county farm	15.00
Russell Bros. Screen wire	52.00
Southwestern Bell Telephone Co., Phone rent	29.25
E. A. Dye, Trip to Fulton	71.60
J. Sherwood Smith, Deputy salary	125.00
Missouri Public Utilities, Light & Power	194.35
Worrell Manufacturing Co., Disinfect for court house	238.78
J. Sherwood Smith, Balance on Financial statement	75.00
George J. Arnold, Cost Bills	740.35
J. H. Goodin, Expense account	47.35
M. E. Montgomery, Expense account	21.96
Hahs Machine Shop, Bushing for pump	5.25
Remington Typewriter Co., Carbon paper	4.50
C. H. Yansen, Supplies	5.00
Germo Manufacturing Co., Supplies	65.11
W. H. Heisserer, Supplies	121.36
W. H. Heisserer, Supplies	.76
Morris Disinfect Co., Supplies	193.64
Dunbar Mill & Lumber Co., Lumber	1.42
Southwester Bell Telephone Co., Phone rent	29.25
Missouri Utilities, Light & Power	86.48
L. A. Diebold, Work at county farm	35.40
L. A. Diebold, Work at county farm	42.50
J. C. Diebold, 50 gallons paint for county farm	201.25
E. A. Dye, Amt. paid T. Drexler for welding	22.50
J. W. Smith, Brooms	3.50
Bentzinger Bros., Brushes for Court house	10.20
Standard Oil Co., Kerosene for Sheriff residence	6.30
J. Sherwood Smith, Deputy Salary	125.00
George J. Arnold, Cost Bills	429.85
George J. Arnold, Freight Bills	23.75
E. A. Dye, Repairs on jail	401.80
Brown Coal Co., 1 car coal	153.27
Missouri Utilities Co., Light & Power	87.94
J. I. Holcomb & Co., Supplies	6.48
J. C. Diebold, Painting at county farm	48.00
J. C. Dierckson, Work at county farm	76.40
J. N. Legrand, Work at county farm	86.35
W. H. Heisserer, Supplies for County farm	45.04
Remington Typewriter Co., Supplies	21.10
Lamber Mercantile Co., Linseed oil	11.38
W. A. Miller, Supplies for jail	10.80
W. C. Porter, Board of petit jury	13.00
Southwestern Bell Telephone Co., Phone rent for court house	29.25
Benton Hotel, Board of petit jury	6.50
T. S. Heisserer, Shingles for County farm	67.59
Floy Smith, Stenographic fees	2.85
J. H. Goodin, Expense Account	56.00
M. E. Montgomery, Expense account	32.62
J. Sherwood Smith, Deputy Salary	125.00
E. A. Dye, Kindling wood for court house	12.00
E. A. Dye, Supplies for county farm & Jail	59.41
E. A. Dye, Attending court	174.40
Missouri Public Utilities Co., Light & Power	94.25
Southwestern Bell Telephone Co., Phone rent	29.25
M. E. Montgomery, Expense Account	22.50
W. H. Heisserer, Supplies	30.43
Dr. U. P. Haw, Expense Account	75.00
J. C. Diebold, Labor & Material for County farm	253.55
J. H. Goodin, Expense Account	49.65
George J. Arnold, Freight Bills	158.45
George J. Arnold, Cost of Selling Warrants & Stamps	27.00
J. Sherwood Smith, Postage, Freight, etc	57.40
George J. Arnold, Expense	9.36
J. H. Goodin, Expense	53.41
M. E. Montgomery, Expense in change of Venue cases	5.00
Southwestern Bell Telephone Co., Phone rent	29.25
E. A. Dye, Lights for Jail	28.80
Germo Manufacturing Co., Disinfect Court house	25.23
Germo Manufacturing Co., Disinfect Court house	297.76
J. C. Dierckson, Labor at county farm	16.00
E. W. Heisler, Checkwriter for Collector	35.86
W. H. Heisserer, Supplies	170.14
E. A. Dye, Sheets for Jury room	22.32
Illmo Electric Co., Light Bulbs	26.03
E. A. Dye, Repairs for Jail	65.66
T. B. Dudley, Stamp Bill	37.50
J. C. Diebold, Work at County Farm	25.00
Tillie Witt, Salary as County Health Nurse	70.00
Thad Stubbs, Salary as Sanitary Engineer	68.33
Dr. U. P. Haw, Salary as County Doctor	14.39
Moore-Harris Abstract Co., Checking ownership	5.00
Wm. Smith, J. P. Cost in Watkins case	3.75
Jos. W. Meyers, J. P. Cost in Watkins case	2.95
Brown Jewell, Cost in Watkins case	5.40
Erly May Holbrook, Witness fee Watkins case	3.00
Grover Watkins, Witness fee Watkins case	3.00
Ora Yenglin, Witness fee Watkins case	3.00
Waymen Holbrook, Witness fee Watkins case	3.00
Lunn Miller, Witness fee Watkins case	3.00
Van Watkins, Witness fee Watkins case	3.00
Missouri Public Utilities Co., Light & Power	98.36
J. H. Goodin, Expense Account	52.42
Dr. U. P. Haw, Expense County Health Doctor	50.00
Tillie Witt, Expense County Health Nurse	50.00
Thad Stubbs, Expense County Sanitary Engineer	50.00
Dr. U. P. Haw, Miscellaneous Expense	20.30
George Arnold, Expense for county	94.66
Neva S. Carlson, Transcribing testimony at Inquest	48.00
W. H. Heisserer, Supplies for court house & County farm	114.83
George J. Arnold, Freight bills	565.44
W. C. Porter, Meals for Petit jury	6.50
Missouri Utilities Co., Light & Power	104.15
J. I. Holcomb, Mfg. Co., Supplies for jail	36.45
J. C. Diebold, Work at county farm	10.00
Southwestern Bell Telephone Co., Phone rent	29.25
W. A. Miller, Supplies for Sheriff	9.90
Germo Manufacturing Co., Disinfect for court house	295.50
E. A. Dye, Expense in apprehending highwaymen	80.09
T. F. Henry, Postage	43.10
Missouri Utilities Co., Light & Power	126.12
John H. Goodin, Expense	49.12
M. E. Montgomery, Postage	16.50
Cecil Reed, Postage	52.70
Lawrence Strauck, Watermelon Telephone rent	62.00
George J. Arnold, Freight Bills, Hauling Coal etc	413.29
Tillie Witt, Expense County Health Nurse	50.00
Thad Stubbs, Expense County Sanitary Engineer	50.00
Dr. U. P. Haw, Expense County Helath Doctor	50.00
Dr. U. P. Haw, Miscellaneous expense	5.73
W. H. Heisserer, Supplies County farm	128.04
J. C. Diebold, Work at county farm	30.47
Emil Steck, Light bulbs	3.32
Southwestern Bell Telephone Co., Phone rent	29.25
T. S. Heisserer & Co., Supplies	87.81
Minter-Smith & Heaney, Car coal	77.42
Cleno Chemical Co., Disinfect County Farm	55.00
Thos. B. Dudley, Postage	59.92
J. Sherwood Smith, Freight, Telephone & Postage	36.63
E. A. Dye, Supplies for jail	35.86
E. A. Dye, Repairs on jail	4.55
E. A. Dye, Welding at Jail	15.00
E. A. Dye, Amt. paid out for light bulbs	14.46
W. H. Heisserer, Supplies for County farm	97.52
Remington Typewriter Co., Typewriter	66.25
J. C. Diebold, Work at county farm	27.50
Cecil C. Reed, Express on typewriter	1.19
M. E. Montgomery, Expense in change of venue cases	7.50
George J. Arnold, Freight on coal & hauling	300.03
George J. Arnold, Supplies purchased	21.71
Dr. U. P. Haw, Expense County Health Doctor	50.00
Tillie Witt, Expense County Health Nurse	50.00
Tad Stubbs, Expense County Health Engineer	50.00
Dr. U. P. Haw, Miscellaneous Expense	5.25
L. C. Gangle, Bounty on bob cat scalp	5.00
A. C. Shipman, Bounty on bob cat scalp	5.00
J. C. Mitchell, Bounty on bob cat kittens	2.50
Henry Dudley, Bounty on bob cat Scalp, (6)	30.00
Jesse Jackson, Bounty on bob cat scalp	5.00
Oscar Caldwell, Bounty on bob cat scalp	5.00
Raymond Kapfer, Bounty on bob cat scalp	5.00
R. R. Finley, Bounty on bob cat scalp	5.00
Louis B. Halter, Bounty on bob cat scalp	5.00
Henry Carson, Bounty on bob cat scalp	5.00
Henry Carson, Bounty on bob cat scalp	5.00
E. George, Bounty on bob cat scalp	5.00
Missouri Utilities, Light & Power	146.01
B. L. Pirtle, Bounty on bob cat scalp, (3)	15.00
Dr. S. J. Wade, Local Registrar	19.00
Charles E. Harris, Local Registrar	7.00
Dr. G. S. Cannon, Local Registrar	29.25
W. E. Derris, Local Registrar	79.00
Dr. H. V. Ashley, Local Registrar	12.75
Dr. Wm. H. Burton, Local Registrar	16.25
Cyril Dirnberger, Local Registrar	4.75
Emil Steck, Postage	150.00
Burroughs Adding Machine Co., 1 Adding Machine ribbon	1.00
Minter-Smith & Heaney, 1 car Coal	93.60
Minter-Smith & Heaney, 1 car Coal	93.96
J. H. Goodin, Expense Account	50.46
Southwestern Bell Telephone Co., Phone rent for court house	29.25
Dr. G. A. Sample, Services in murder case	25.00
H. D. Rodgers, Agt., Premium on policies	155.00
Dr. W. O. Finney, Services in murder case	25.00
Remington Typewriter Co., Supplies	10.50
George J. Arnold, Freight, etc	12.27
Dr. Frazier, Local Registrar	11.25
G. A. Sample, Local Registrar	30.00
Brown Jewell, Taking prisoner to St. Louis	18.00
J. Sherwood Smith, Amt. paid out for floor sweep	7.00
Geo. Buchanan, Expense trip to St. Louis	30.71
R. L. Harrison, Expense Engineering D. D., No. 18	125.00
R. L. Harrison, Expense Engineering D. D., No. 18	55.00
George J. Arnold, Freight Bills	147.85
George J. Arnold, Expense closing D. D. account in Bank	25.00
John H. Goodin, Expense account	56.03
Southwestern Bell Telephone Co., Phone rent	29.25
A. P. Summers Broom Co., Brooms for court house	33.00
L. A. Diebold, Work & material at county farm	7.80
W. A. Miller, Supplies for Court house	19.70
J. C. Diebold, Work at county farm	10.00
Geo. Bean, Expense attending convention	42.32
Wade Malcolm, R. R. Fare for pauper	9.28
E. A. Dye, Amt. paid out for labor at court house	.50
Dr. U. P. Haw, Traveling expense Co. health Physician	50.00
Tillie Witt, Traveling expense Co. health Nurse	50.00
Thad Stubbs, Traveling expense Co. health Engineer	50.00
W. H. Heisserer, Supplies	38.28
George J. Arnold, Cost Bills	542.35
Alice G. Lee, Treas., Cost Bills	75.85
George J. Arnold, Cost Bills	465.55
J. W. Parker, Expense in D. D. No. 17 & 18	72.75
R. L. Harrison, Expense in D. D. No. 17 & 18	18.25
Wm. Pfefferkorn, Expense in D. D. No. 17 & 18	52.75
F. W. Dunn, Expense in D. D. No. 17 & 18	77.75
Remington Rand Business Service, Ribbons for Circuit Clerk	3.50
T. F. Henry, Freight & Drayage	7.70
Cecil C. Reed, Amt. paid out for express	.95
Minter-Smith & Heaney, 1 car coal	72.50
Missouri Utilities Co., Light & Power	151.18
George J. Arnold, Freight Bills	41.40
Total	$18,137.01

Keep of County Patients at Asylum, Reform School, Hospital, Poor Farm

Accounts paid for Coffins, Supplies, etc., for pauper and Insane Persons.

State Hospital No. 4	$108.00	6 Mo. Keep of John Cobb
	108.00	6 Mo. Keep of J. W. Evans
	108.00	6 Mo. Keep of W. Urhahn
	108.00	6 Mo. Keep of Reece Robinson
	108.00	6 Mo. Keep of Mrs. Tisdel
	108.00	6 Mo. Keep of W. Ryker
	108.00	6 Mo. Keep of Alex Edwards
	108.00	6 Mo. Keep of Ina Bryant

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G. R. Donnell, Hospital

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V. A. Tubbs, Taking
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Martin Menz
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A. Bonehardt
Mrs. Jim Boggs
Turner Cannon
Minerva Penn
Adeline Douglas
Mrs. J. W. Evans
Charles Fisher
W. J. Gibbs
J. H. Heck
Fannie Gibbs
Mrs. A. Harrison
Mrs. B. Hines
Mrs. Nora Jamerson
Louis LaValle
Amanda Livingston
Ples Lemons
Pat Murphy
Martin Menz
Walter Mott
Lucy Perry
Katie McManus
Mrs. J. J. Wehling
Mrs. Ruth Grisham
Mrs. J. W. Henly
Enoch McCormick
Arthur Reed
Floyd Knopp
Charles Hamm
Mrs. Charles Hamm
Mary Cruse
R. Renolds
Ed Guthrie
J. C. Summers
Gib Cash
Nannie Ohlers
O. J. Eldridge
N. Johnson
Mrs. Mary Thomas
Wm. Reubel
W. C. Glascow
Sam Matthews
Jess Williams
Don Williams
Lissie Sales
John Sanders
H. Sample & Wife
Florence Scarbrough
Martin Speak
R. Sturgeon & Wife
D. E. White
Mrs. W. L. Wood
Mrs. Mary Wolfe

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Robert Worley	4 Warrants	80.00
Malissa Watson	4 Warrants	60.00
Susan Shankles	1 Warrant	15.00
P. N. Griffin	4 Warrants	55.00
Lenora Warner	4 Warrants	40.00
Mrs. D. Collier	1 Warrant	20.00
J. W. Stuckey	4 Warrants	40.00
Mrs. S. Britton	1 Warrant	6.00
Mrs. A. Bonehardt	3 Warrants	30.00
Mrs. E. Braaton	2 Warrants	30.00
Mrs. A. Speck	3 Warrants	30.00
Charles Simpson	4 Warrants	40.00
Mary Pate	3 Warrants	45.00
Bob Hull	1 Warrant	10.00
Amos Brewer	1 Warrant	10.00
Arch Murphy	1 Warrant	10.00
Grant White	1 Warrant	10.00
Lee Sanders	1 Warrant	10.00
Jess Benson	1 Warrant	10.00
Roscoe Foster	1 Warrant	10.00
W. W. Smith	1 Warrant	10.00
Total		$2,450.00

Expenditures Paid other than by County Warrants

Inquests paid:		
Alfreda Driskill	$ 9.00	
Claude Luter	13.00	
Dorothy Bean	35.75	
Clifford Jackson	34.44	
Lawrence Lux	28.71	
Sam Wire	8.84	
Grant Hoover	6.00	
Lizzie Martin	6.00	
Wm. Easter	7.00	
Billie J. McVey	6.44	
James Matthews	7.00	
George Moore	5.00	
Cassie Ward	5.00	
Leander Verse	6.00	
Francis Scherer	9.64	
Minnie M. Harmon	9.16	
Tom Clark	49.06	$ 246.04
Stenographers Salary & Expense		945.86
Petit Jury Warrants & Interest on same		4,259.00
Grand Jury Warrants paid		536.10
Total		$5,987.00

ROAD CONSTRUCTION FUND

RECEIPTS.

To Balance on Hand since last statement		$62,128.05
To Current Taxes collected	$24,746.75	
To Current Merchants tax collected	749.42	
To Current R. R. Teleg. & Telephone	9,905.30	
To Back Real Estate 1927 & Prior years	6,014.28	
To Back Personal 1927 & Prior years	534.43	
To Interest on same	1,216.84	
To Bank of Benton, Int. on daily deposit	61.31	
To H. F. Kirkpatrick, S. D. C.	854.21	
To Bank of Benton, (Transfer from New York Bank)	41,000.00	$85,082.54

DISBURSEMENTS.

By Bonds, Interest Coupons paid	$ 55,550.00	
By Exchange & Commission	159.00	
By Transfer New York Bank To Bank of Benton	41,000.00	
	$ 96,709.00	$147,210.59
By Balance on Hand March 31st, 1928	50,501.59	$147,210.59
	$147,210.59	$147,210.59

SIKESTON SPECIAL ROAD DISTRICT

RECEIPTS.

To Balance on Hand last statement	$ 705.68
To Taxes collected since last statement	10,511.68

DISBURSEMENTS

By Warrants Paid since last statement	$ 8,810.94	
By Balance on Hand, March 31st, 1928	2,406.42	
	$11,217.36	$11,217.36

DIEHLSTADT SPECIAL ROAD DISTRICT

RECEIPTS.

To Balance on hand last statement	$ 140.07
To Taxes Collected since last statement	1,683.34

DISBURSEMENTS

By Warrants Paid since last statement	$1,663.64	
By Balance on Hand March 31st, 1928	159.77	
	$1,823.41	$1,823.41

ORAN SPECIAL ROAD DISTRICT

RECEIPTS.

To Balance on Hand last statement	$ 488.47
To Taxes collected since last statement	3,184.09

DISBURSEMENTS

By Warrants paid & filed	$2,516.81	
By Balance on hand March 31, 1928	1,155.75	
	$3,672.56	$3,672.56

BLODGETT SPECIAL ROAD DISTRICT

RECEIPTS.

To Taxes Collected	$3,480.63

DISBURSEMENTS

By Warrants Paid & Filed	$3,309.70	
By Balance on hand, March 31st, 1928	170.93	
	$3,480.63	$3,480.63

SPECIAL ROAD & BRIDGE FUND

RECEIPTS

To Balance on hand last statement		$ 4,549.45
To Current taxes collected	$18,289.65	
To Current Merchants tax collected	444.00	
To Current R. R. Telg. & Telephone Tax collected	12,380.52	
To Back Real Estate Taxes 1927 & Prior years	5,418.64	
To Back Personal Taxes 1927 & Prior years	562.39	
To Interest on same	1,477.95	
To A. D. Daniel, refund from Standard Oil Co.	11.39	
To Barney Anslem, Poll Tax collected	60.00	
To Amt. over-paid on Warrants	29,956.67	$68,601.21

DISBURSEMENTS

By Warrants paid, as per list	$73,140.00	
By Interest paid on Warrants	10.66	
	$73,150.66	$73,150.66

Expenditures out of Special Road & Bridge Fund.

Eugene Bertrand, Work in District No. 4	$ 28.00
Weber Implement Co., Machinery	5,937.90
Austin-Western Machinery Co., Machinery	1,387.01
Benton Auto Co., Supplies	1.37
F. W. Diebold, Blacksmith work	1.00
A. B. Rodgers, Salary	110.83
Sikeston Special Road	323.30
A. D. Daniels, Salary	120.00
A. D. Daniels, Salary (office help)	160.00
A. D. Daniels, Expense	2.52
Jake Laub, Salary	120.00
A. W. Rodgers, Salary	111.68
Wm. Mason, Helping Surveyor	38.06
Zeno Legrand, Helping Surveyor	58.46
Joe Butler, Helping Surveyor	3.00
Edw. J. Seyer, Work on Road District No 1	491.98
John Gosche, Work on Road District No. 2	537.19
Harris Bissell, Work on Bridge District	204.33
Harris Bissell, Dynamite	3.93
Charles Slinkard, Work in road district No. 3	335.40
Charles Schoen, Work in road district No. 4	240.50
A. B. Greer, Work in road district No. 5	169.90
A. B. Greer, Work in road district No. 5	189.00
J. A. Inman, Work in road district No. 6	144.50
Barney Anslem, Work in road district No. 7	34.50
W. A. Parker, Work in road district No. 8	152.40
Walter G. Irwin, Work in road district No. 9	107.50
Harris Bissell, Work in road district No. 10	243.50
Otto Bugg, Work in road district No. 11	245.00
Elmer Grant, Work in road district No. 13	127.00
A. S. Aloe, Supplies	4.95
Dunbar Mill & Lbr. Co., Lumber for District No. 4	14.58
Dunbar Mill & Lbr. Co., Lumber for District No. 4	17.92
Anderson Oil Co., Oil and Gas	111.75
Lambert Mercantile Co., Nails	3.50
Toledo Pressed Steel Co., Torches	14.25
P. E. Eldridge, Oil & Gas	3.30
Austin Western Machinery Co., Supplies	33.75
Standard Oil Co., Oil & Gas	8.80
Austin-Western Road Machinery Co., Supplies	3.75
A. A. Grann, Road work	36.00
Austin-Western Road Machinery Co., Supplies	50.00
Austin-Western Road Machinery Co., Supplies	16.00
Bahn Bros., Supplies	13.27
A. D. Daniels, Advance on salary	100.00
F. X. Schwartz, Part Payment on Warrant No. 26265	2,416.00
George J. Arnold, Part payment on Warrant No. 26265	1,509.40
Louis Gosche, Part payment on Warrant No. 26265	1,006.25
Albert Schwartz, Part payment on Warrant No. 26265	327.00
Rosa Enderlee, Part payment on Warrant No. 26265	717.35
A. D. Daniels, Expense & Phone rent	5.27
A. D. Daniels, Salary	150.00
A. Gnann, Road work	38.32
E. E. Grant, Road work in District No. 12	75.00
Barney Anslem, Road work in District No. 7	94.00
Edw. Seyer, Road work in District No. 1	468.37
John Gosche, Road work in District No. 2	241.59
Charles Slinkard, Road work in District No. 3	296.67
Charles Schoen, Road work in District No. 4	234.55
F. W. Diebold, Sharpening blades	1.20
A. B. Greer, Work in District No. 5	188.60
J. A. Inman, Work in District No. 6	189.00
Walter G. Irwin, Work in District No. 9	394.97
Harris Bissell, Work in District No. 10	357.49
Otto Bugg, Work in District No. 11	273.34
Anderson Oil Co., Oil & Gas	108.40
Cape Oil Co., Oil	1.60
F. W. Diebold, Shovel handle	.60
C. A. Boardman, Work in District No. 13	92.00
Austin-Western Road Machinery Co., Supplies	12.90
J. D. Adams & Co., Supplies	5.60
Austin-Western Road Machinery Co., Supplies	88.74
J. D. Adams & Co., Supplies	75.20
Southeast Mo. Machine Shop, Supplies	5.75
Steel Products Corp., Supplies	144.90
Pierce Petroleum Corp., Supplies	23.20
Kelso Oil Co., Oil	101.39
Corrugated Culvert Co., Supplies	4.92
Austin-Western Road Machinery Co., Supplies	6.86
W. A. Parker, Work in Road District No. 8	271.80
A. B. Greer, Work In Road District No. 5	189.84
Jake Laub, Salary	23.00
A. W. Rodgers, Salary	113.00
Bank of Benton, Advance on Mason's Salary	25.00
Wm. Mason, Salary	65.00
Zeno Legrand, Salary	80.00
Mrs. C. Cummins, Right of Way Damages	500.00
E. A. Dye, Expense of handling above account	10.00
A. D. Daniels, Salary	150.00
George J. Arnold, Advance on Daniel's salary	100.00
A. D. Daniel, Expense	4.65
Jake Laub, Salary	120.00
A. W. Rodgers, Salary	112.44
J. W. Mason, Salary	44.24
Zeno Legrand, Salary	80.00
Edw. Seyer, Work in Road District No. 1	326.45
John Gosche, Work in Road District No. 2	123.53
Charles Slinkard, Work in Road District No. 3	106.68
Charles Schoen, Work in Road District No. 4	232.38
Dunbar Mill & Lbr. Co., Lumber	57.96
A. B. Greer, Work in Road District No. 5	60.00
J. A. Inman, Work in Road District No. 6	131.00
W. A. Parker, Work in Road District No. 8	117.60
Walter Irwin, Work in Road District No. 9	248.00
Benton Bank, Amt. Paid Wm. Mason	25.00
H. Bissell, Work in road District No. 10	163.50
Otto Bugg, Work in Road District No. 11	218.30
Elmer E. Grant, Work in Road District No. 12	46.00
C. A. Boardman, Work in road district No. 13	59.00
Dunbar Mill & Lbr. Co., Lumber	82.91
H. Bissell, Lumber furnished	150.00
Austin-Western Road Machinery Co., Supplies	35.00
Bahn Bros. Hwd. Co., Supplies	2.05
Anderson Oil Co., Oil & Gas	93.60
Maurer Auto Co., Supplies	3.00
Standard Oil Co., Oil & Gas	3.55
F. W.Diebold, Blacksmith work	1.20
W. H. Heisserer, Supplies	1.79
Standard Oil Co., Oil & Gas	19.70
A. D. Daniels, Salary	245.67
John H. Goodin, Jr., Helping surveyor	2.50
Joe Bucher, Helping Surveyor	2.50
Jake Laub, Salary	120.00
A. W. Rodgers, Salary	$113.00
Zeno Legrand, Salary	80.00
Wm. Mason, Salary	70.00
Ben Eastman, Paid for Wm. Mason	20.00
James Farris, Painting Bridges	11.25
Edward Seyer, Work in road district No. 1	507.40
John Gosche, Work in road District No. 2	201.86
Harris Bissell, Work on Bridges	94.35
H. Bissell, Supplies	7.74
A. B. Greer, Work in road district No. 5	207.75
J. A. Inman, Work in road district No. 6	176.60
Barney Anselm, Work in road district No. 7	59.00
Charles Slinkard, Work in road district No. 3	239.40
Charles Schoen, Work in road district No. 4	126.20
Walter G. Irwin, Work in road district No. 9	124.60
W. A. Parker, Work in road district No. 10	100.40
H. Bissell, Work in road district No. 10	127.58
H. Bissell, Balance on Bdge. Contract	650.00
Otto Bugg, Work in road district No. 11	111.39
C. A. Boardman, Work in road district No. 13	71.00
Standard Oil Co., Gas & Oil	4.05
P. E. Eldridge, Supplies	.70
W. H. Heisserer, Supplies	4.13
Dunbar Mill& Lbr. Co., Lumber	3.20
Dunbar Mill & Lbr., Co., Lumber for District No. 4	29.45
F. W. Diebold, Blacksmith work	5.55
A. J. Allen, Blacksmith work	1.50
J. D. Adams & Co., Blades for grader	77.10
Wm. C. Arnold, Gas	81.60
Anderson Oil Co., Gas & Oil	140.00
A. S. Aloe & Co., Supplies	16.72
Farmers & Merchants Bank, Advance to H. Bissell	245.00
A. D. Daniel, Expense	7.04
A. D. Daniel, Salary	138.90
Jake Laub, Salary	120.00
A. W. Rodger, Salary	110.00
Wm. Mason, Salary	40.00
Ben Eastman, Assignment on Wm. Mason's Salary	20.00
Zeno Legrand, Salary	80.00
A. A. Ganann, Work on road	59.50
L. B. McGill, Painting Bridges	116.50
D. O. Woods, Painting Bridges	63.00
Edw. Seyer, Road work in District No. 1	785.87
John Gosche, Road work in District No. 2	389.84
Charles Slinkard, Road work in District No. 3	479.76
Charles Schoen, Road work in District No. 4	184.96
A. B. Greer, Road work in District No. 5	443.75
J. A. Inman, Road work in District No. 6	312.00
Barney Anslem, Road work in District No. 7	278.80
W. A. Parker, Road work in District No. 8	208.00
W. G. Irwin, Road work in District No. 9	278.53
H. Bissell, Road work in District No. 10	617.07
Otto Bugg, Road work in District No. 11	294.24
E. E. Grant, Road work in District No. 12	17.60
C. A. Boardman, Road work in District No. 13	146.00
H. Bissell, Bridge work	841.40
Bahn Bros. Hwd. C., Supplies	48.00
Southeast Mo. Lbr. Co., Supplies Highway department	9.15
Chaffee Hwd. Co., Supplies	1.10
J. D. Adams & Co., Supplies	4.98
Austin-Western Road Machinery Co., Drag blades	50.02
Dunbar Mill & Lbr. Co., Lumber for road district No. 7	85.99
Kelso Oil Co., Grease & Oil	89.40
Dunbar Mill & Lbr. Co., Lumber for roads	9.00
Dunbar Mill & Lbr. Co., Lumber	25.60
Standard Oil So., Oil & Gas	28.11
Lincoln Steel & Forging Co., Maintainers	64.00
Ora Niswonger, Piling for road	18.00
Lamber Mercantile Co., Shovel for county	1.25
W. H. Heisserer, file	.89
Corrugated Culvert Co., Supplies	19.50
Austin-Western Road Machinery Co., Culverts	1,854.81
Austin-Western Road Machinery Co., Balance on culverts	100.00
J. R. Ryerson & Son, Supplies	49.22
Peter Wamser, Seed for road levee	25.00
Anderson Oil Co., Oil & Gas	140.40
F. W. Diebold, Blacksmithing	1.85
P. E. Eldridge, Valve	.50
W. I. Fletcher, Blacksmith work	.75
T. S. Heisserer & Co., Nails	.50
Marshall Land & Mercantile Co., Sand for base line road	200.00
A. D. Daniel, Salary & Expense	244.23
A. D. Daniel, Postage	1.00
Jake Laub, Salary	123.00
A. W. Rodgers, Salary	110.00
Wm. Mason Salary	80.00
Ben Eastman, Assignment (Wm. Mason's salary)	20.00
Zeno Legrand, Salary	90.00
Charles Schoen, Work in road district No. 4	257.34
Harris Bissell, Work on Bridge	239.95
Harris Bissell, Work on Bridge	44.28
Harris Bissell, Part payment on Material for Bridge	200.00
Harris Bissell, Road work in district No. 10	391.30
A. A. Gnann, Road work	12.00
L. B. McGill, Painting bridges	125.00
D. O. Woods, Painting Bridges	60.00
D. B. Perkins, Assignment on D. O. Wood's salary	15.00
Edw Seyer, Road work in District No. 1	354.10
John Gosche, Road work in District No. 2	68.20
John Gosche, Work on Blomeyer road	442.60
T. S. Heisserer, Dynamite	62.63
Charles Slinkard, Work in road District No. 3	246.28
A. B. Greer, Work in road district No. 5	335.60
J. A. Inman, Work in road district No. 6	224.40
Barney Anselm, Work in road district No. 7	249.20
A. S. Brown, Work in road district No. 7	69.50
W. A. Parker, Work in road districtNo.8	86.80
W. G. Irwin, Work in road district No. 9	758.54
Otto Bugg, Work in road district No. 11	142.70
Elmer Grant, Work in road district No. 12	47.50
Elmer Frazier, ½ cost in repairing bridge	34.75
W. C. Arnold, Lumber for county	38.64
W. A. Miller, Supplies	18.10
W. H. Heisserer, Supplies	13.03
C. A. Boardman, Road work in District No. 13	54.00
F. W. Diebold, Blacksmith work	6.85
J. D. Adams & Co., Supplies	37.29
Anderson Oil Co., Oil & Gas	229.32
Dunbar Mill & Lbr. Co., Lumber	119.55
Taylor-Masterson & Linson, Supplies	14.65
Steel Products Co., Supplies	11.51
Standard Oil Co., Gasoline	7.80
P. E. Eldridge, Repairing motor	3.20
A. D. Daniel, Salary & Expense	224.52
A. D. Daniel, Postage	10.49
A. A. Gnann, Work on road	48.25
Jake Laub, Salary	120.00
A. W. Rodgers, Salary	110.00
Will Mason, Salary	35.00
Justrite Oil Co., Assignment on Wm. Mason's salary	20.00
Ben Eastman, Assignment on Wm. Mason's salary	45.00
Zeno Legrand, Salary	90.00
L. B. McGill, Painting bridges	115.00
D. O. Woods, Painting bridges	75.00
H. A. Loida, Painting bridges	58.00
J. H. Stallings, Painting bridges	58.00
Edw. Seyer, Work in road district No. 1	128.50
John Gosche, Work in road district No. 2	59.90
John Gosche, Work on Blomeyer road	233.50
A. B. Greer, Work in road district No. 5	352.30
Charles Schoen, Work in road district No. 4	247.20
Barney Anslem, Work in road district No. 7	307.50
W. A. Parker, Work in road district No. 8	149.60
Walter G. Irwin, Work in road district No. 9	664.80
Harris Bissell, Work in road district No. 10	308.70
Harris Bissell, Work in road district No. 1	52.50
Harris Bissell, Piling for Bridge	1,169.50
Harris Bissell, Part Payment on Bridge	48.00
J. A. Inman, Road work in District No. 6	226.15
Edw. J. Seyer, Road work in District No. 1	333.96
J. D. Adams & Co., Supplies	5.86
J. D. Adams & Co., Supplies	109.54
Weber Implement Co., Repairs on tractor	8.20
Wm. C. Arnold, Lumber	340.55
Southeast Missouri Lumber Co., Lumber	9.02
F. W. Diebold, Blacksmith work	1.90
Anderson Oil Co., Oil & Gas	46.80
Sturgeon Service Station, Supplies	1.05
Kelso Oil Co., Grease	2.00
W. H. Heisserer, Supplies	.30
Charles Slinkard, Work in road district No. 3	307.14
Standard Oil Co., Oil & Gas	15.00
A. Baudendistel, Paint for Bridge	7.45
American Asbestos Co., Supplies	150.00
J. D. Adams & Co., Supplies	5.60
St. Louis Material & Supply Co., Supplies	64.11
Bahn Bros., Supplies	6.65
C. A. Boardman, Work in road district No. 13	50.00
Elmer Grant, Work in road district No. 12	89.10
Otto Bugg, Work in road district No. 11	241.20
P. E. Eldridge, Supplies	.60
A. V. Eachus, Freight on tractor	134.92
Edw. Seyer, Road work in district No. 1	424.50
Edw Seyer, Road work in District No. 1	515.22
John Gosche, Road work in District No. 2	20.40
A. A. Gnann, Work on road and amt. paid out	93.52
Zeno Legrand, Salary	90.00
Jake Laub, Salary	123.00
A. W. Rodgers, Salary	110.00
Wm. Mason, Salary	68.74
T. S. Heisserer, Assignment on Wm. Mason's salary	26.26
H. C. Watkins, Assignment on Wm. Mason's salary	5.00
A. D. Daniels, Salary	250.00
A. D. Daniel, Expense	7.06
John Gosche, Road work in district No. 2	748.11
C. A. Boardman, Work in Road District No. 13	129.20
Charles Slinkard, Work in road district No. 2	546.98
Charles Schoen, Graveling Benton-Oran Road	461.50
Charles Schoen, Graveling Glasstetter Hill	94.00
Charles Schoen, Graveling Grogean road	69.10
Charles Schoen, Graveling Road No. 4	219.64
A. B. Greer, Graveling Road No. 5	282.90
J. A. Inman, Graveling Road No. 6	188.10
Barney Anselm, Graveling Road No. 7	199.00
W. A. Parker, Graveling Road No. 8	101.45
J. M. Arnold, Graveling Road No. 8	12.00
W. G. Irwin, Road work in District No. 9	230.20
Harris Bissell, Road work in District No. 10	233.30
Harris Bissell, Graveling road	378.50
Harris Bissell, Bridge work near Crowder	264.94
Otto Bugg, Road work in District 11	297.52
E. E. Grant, Road work in District 12	160.40
C. A. Boardman, Road work in District 13	135.00
D. B. Perkins, Hauling Gravel, & grading	222.00
H. A. Loida, Painting Bridges	78.00
J. H. Stallings, Painting Bridges	78.00
Halleck & Hill Gravel Co., Gravel in District No. 2	113.19
Halleck & Hill Gravel Co., Gravel in District No. 8	111.14
Halleck & Hill Gravel Co., Gravel in District No. 10	323.87
Kelso Oil Co., Gas & Oil	79.08
Austin-Western Road Machinery Co., Repairs	3.24
F. W. Diebold, Repairs	.50
W. C. Arnold, Lumber	94.81
Rudert & Son, Repairs	8.05
Anderson Oil Co., Gas & Oil	93.60
P. E. Eldridge, Supplies	.50
Standard Oil Co., Gas & Oil	36.95
A. S. Aloe & Co., Supplies	30.22
W. A. Miller, Supplies for Bridge	9.75
A. Baundendistel, Supplies for Bridge	32.60
L. B. McGill, Painting Bridges	97.50
D. O. Woods, Painting Bridges	9.00
Jess Doty, Painting Bridges	6.00

D. B. Perkins, Assignment on D. O. Wood's salary	15.00
Louis Albrecht, Stringers for Bridge	19.55
Wm. Uelsman, Cap sills & posts	19.18
Emil Eifert, Hauling logs	12.00
George J. Arnold, Adv. on A. D. Daniel's salary	150.00
A. A. Gnann, Work on road & supplies	12.75
Edw. J. Seyer, Work on road District No. 1	145.15
John Gosche, Work on road District No. 2	138.85
Charles Slinkard, Work on road District No. 3	397.55
A. B. Greer, Work on road District No. 5	169.50
J. A. Inman, Work on road District No. 6	212.80
Barney Anselm, Work on road District No. 7	66.50
W. A. Parker, Work on road District No. 8	79.90
Walter G. Irwin, Work on road District No. 9	133.40
Otto Bugg, Work on road District No. 11	90.00
C. A. Boardman, Work on road District No. 13	99.00
August Roth, Lumber	70.00
W. A. Miller Supplies	9.00
Anderson Oil Co., Gas & Oil	46.80
Bahn Bros. Hdw. Co., Supplies	4.00
Benton Auto Co., Supplies	1.00
A. S. Aloe & Co., Supplies	1.53
J. D. Adams & Co., Supplies	51.30
J. D. Adams & Co., Supplies	36.62
P. E. Eldridge, Supplies	.70
J. D. Adams & Co., Supplies	101.59
Austin-Western Road Machinery Co., Supplies	1,978.30
F. W. Diebold, Blacksmith work	3.00
Weber Implement Co., Supplies	365.08
A. A. Gnann, Work on road	56.00
Jake Laub, Salary	120.50
A. W. Rodgers, Salary	110.56
Wm. Mason, Salary (less Assignment)	40.00
T. S. Heisserer, Assignment Mason's salary	60.00
Zeno Legrand, Salary	90.00
L. B. McGill, Painting Bridges	76.50
Jess Doty, Painting Bridges	39.50
H. Karaker, Painting Bridges	9.00
G. Graham, Painting Bridges	6.00
H. A. Loida, Painting Bridges	52.00
J. H. Stallings, Painting Bridges	52.00
Edw. Seyer, Work in road district No. 1	365.68
Edw. J. Seyer, Work in road district No. 1	116.00
August Roth, Work hauling Gravel	190.72
C. Burger, Hauling gravel	38.00
John Gosche, Work in Road district No. 2	269.90
Charles Slinkard, Work in Road district No. 3	607.95
A. B. Greer, Work in Road district No. 4	265.80
J. A. Inman, Work in Road district No. 5	152.50
Barney Anselm, Work in Road district No.7	24.00
W. A. Parker, Work in Road district No. 8	177.75
H. Bissell, Bridge work	25.10
J. M. Arnold, Dragging road	7.50
Halleck & Hill Gravel Co., Work in road district No. 9	29.20
Walter G. Irwin, Work in road district No. 9	396.40
T. S. Heisserer & Co., Supplies	92.97
H. Bissell, Work in road district No. 10	380.35
Halleck & Hill Gravel Co., Gravel in road district No. 10	99.96
Halleck & Hill Gravel Co., Gravel in road district No. 11	144.77
Otto Bugg, Work in District No. 11	174.00
Otto Bugg, Work in road district No. 11	184.60
Elmer Grant, Work in District No. 12	77.30
Elmer Grant, Work in district No. 12	33.20
C. A. Boardman, Work in District No. 13	168.00
A. Baudendistel, Supplies	45.95
Standard Oil Co., Oil & Gas	35.88
Womacks Drug Store, Supplies	1.30
Sturgeons Service Station, Welding	2.50
Weber Implement Co., Supplies	6.85
Southeast Missouri Lbr. Co., Lumber	22.31
Wiles Chipman Lbr. Co., Lumber	876.10
Bahn Bros. Hwd. Co., Supplies	1.60
J. D. Adams & Co., Supplies	47.80
Anderson Oil Co., Oil & Gas	93.60
W. A. Parker, Work in road district No. 8	89.37
Edw. J. Seyer, Work in road district No. 1	363.88
John Gosche, Work in road district No. 2	455.65
Austin-Western Road Machinery Co., Repairs	45.00
Southeast Mo. Lumber Co., Lumber	2.20
H. Bissell, Adv. on Ramsey Creek Bridge	300.00
Bahn Bros., Supplies	5.75
August Roth, Bridge Lumber	73.92
P. E. Eldridge, Supplies	2.00
John Fabick, Tractor Co.,	82.74
Hahs Machine Works, Repairs	6.75
Frank Lett, Hauling sand in District No. 4	109.00
F. W. Diebold, Repairs	.65
Anderson Oil Co., Oil & Gas	46.80
Standard Oil Co., Gas & Oil	20.04
W. A. Miller, Supplies for bridge painters	23.75
C. A. Boardman, Work in District No. 13	109.00
Otto Bugg, Work in District No. 9	163.00
J. F. Patterson, Work in District No. 9	47.20
Walter G. Irwin, Work in District No. 8	14.00
W. A. Parker, Work in District No. 7	141.00
Barney Anslem, Work in District No. 13	58.50
A. B. Greer, Work in District No. 5	103.40
Charles Slinkard, Work in District No. 3	265.50
L. B. McGill, Painting Bridges	80.00
Jess Doty, Painting Bridges	55.50
H. A. Loida, Painting Bridges	66.00
J. H. Stallings, Painting Bridges	66.00
A. A. Gnann, Work on road	48.00
Jake Laub, Salary	124.45
A. W. Rodgers, Salary	110.00
Zeno Legrand, Salary	90.00
Elmer Grant, Road work in District No. 12	153.20
T. S. Heisserer, Assignment on Mason's salary	60.00
Total	$73,140.00

GENERAL ROAD FUND

Receipts.

To Balance on Hand last statement		$ 6,751.36
To Current taxes collected	$3,659.24	
To Merchants tax collected	88.78	
To R. R. Telg. & Telephone	2,476.12	
To Back Real Estate 1927 & Prior years	1,089.62	
To Back personal 1927 & Prior years	112.52	
To Interest on same	297.79	
To Bank of Benton, Interest on daily deposit	60.37	
To Sam Dannenmueller, 18 Ft. Tile	5.00	
To W. A. Parker, Poll Tax collected	32.00	
To Charles Schoen, Poll Tax collected	32.00	
To H. Bissell, Poll Tax collected	6.05	$ 7,859.49

Disbursements.

By Warrants paid, as per list	$ 8,650.30	
By Balance on hand March 31, 1928	5,960.55	
	$14,610.85	$14,610.85

Expenditures out of General Road Fund for year 1927.

A. D. Daniel, Salary	$ 241.68
A. D. Daniel, Expense	3.55
Jake Laub, Salary	120.00
A. A. Gnann, Repairs	37.49
Edw. Seyer, Work in road district No. 1	380.60
John Gosche, Work in road district No. 2	172.23
Charles Slinkard, Work in road district No. 3	352.50
Charles Schoen, Work in road district No. 4	74.80
A. B. Greer, Work in road district No. 5	148.85
John Inman, Work in road district No. 6	183.35
Barney Anselm, Work in road district No. 7	67.00
W. A. Parker, Work in road district No. 8	103.10
W. G. Irwin, Work in road district No. 9	123.15
H. Bissell, Work in road district No. 10	175.50
Otto Bugg, Work in road district No. 11	226.50
Elmer E. Grant, Work in road district No. 12	209.00
C. A. Boardman, Work in road district No. 13	133.00
C. A. Leedy, Locks	1.50
Dunbar Mill & Lbr. Co., Lumber for road District No. 1	52.48
Pierce Petroleum Co., Oil & Gas	22.59
Remington Typewriter Co., Typewriter	101.25
Weber Implement Co., Supplies	255.00
Austin-Western Machinery Co., Supplies	158.22
J. D. Adams, Machinery	1,925.00
P. E. Eldridge, Oil & Gas	1.45
Frank Carlisle, Lumber	105.00
Dunbar Mill & Lbr. Co., Lumber	48.32
A. D. Daniel, Pt. Payment on salary	100.00
Edw. J. Seyer, Hauling gravel	38.68
Edw. J. Seyer, Hauling gravel	104.00
A. D. Daniel, Balance on salary	100.00
A. D. Daniel, Expense	1.36
Jake Laub, Salary & trip to Cape Girardeau	123.00
A. W. Rodgers, Salary	112.00
Wm. Mason, Salary	55.00
Ben Eastman, Assignment on Wm. Mason's salary	25.00
A. D. Daniel, Office help	80.00
L. B. McGill, Painting Bridges	52.50
Jess Doty, Painting Bridges	49.00
H. Karaker, Painting Bridges	4.50
H. A. Loida, Painting Bridges	40.00
J. H. Stallings, Painting Bridges	40.00
Charles Schoen, Gravel on Finley Hill	78.20
Charles Schoen, Work in Road district No. 4	179.20
H. Bissell, Work in Road District No. 10	68.00
H. Bissell, Work in Road district No. 10	251.70
Zeno Legrand, Salary	90.00
A. D. Daniesl, Salary	247.12
A. D. Dahiel, Expense	3.85
Charles Schoen, Work in Road District No. 4	172.15
Geo. Arnold, Freight on gravel	584.04
A. D. Daniel, Advance on Salary	150.00
L. B. McGill, Painting Bridges	15.00
A. D. Daniel, Balance on salary	100.00
A. D. Daniel, Expense	4.25
Charles Schoen, Road work in District No. 4	167.10
Hahs Machine works, Repairs	14.00
J. A. Inman, Work in road district No. 6	129.50
A. D. Daniel, Expense Attending Engineer's convention	48.04
Total	$8,650.30

COURT HOUSE FUND

Receipts.

To Balance on Hand last statement		$2,073.59
To Current Taxes collected	$2,478.72	
To Current Merchants Tax collected	74.35	
To Curren R. R. Telg. & Telephone Collected	990.51	
To Back Real Estate 1927 & Prior years	293.74	
To Back Personal 1927 & Prior years	27.90	
To Interest on same	60.97	
To Rose Enderle, County Warrant	1,000.00	$4,926.19

Disbursements.

By Bonds Paid	$3,150.00	
By Interest Coupons paid	237.50	
By Balance on Hand March 31, 1928	3,612.28	
	$6,999.78	$6,999.78

Amount of Foreign Insurance Money apportioned to the various School Districts.

For the year 1927.

To Amount to be apportioned			$11,117.15
School District No.	1	$ 64.91	
	2	501.39	
	3	731.73	
	4	197.25	
	5	1,357.83	
	6	142.53	
	7	192.16	
	8	120.89	
	9	319.41	
	10	58.54	
	11	55.99	
	12	71.26	
	13	67.45	
	14	129.80	
	15	264.69	
	17	31.81	
	19	355.05	
	20	483.58	
	21	157.80	
	22	338.50	
	24	36.90	
	25	83.99	
	26	20.36	
	27	521.75	
	28	108.17	
	29	162.89	
	32	145.07	
	34	109.44	
	35	371.59	
	36	305.42	
	37	190.88	
	38	128.53	
	39	111.99	
	42	399.59	
	44	39.45	
	45	100.53	
	46	85.26	
	47	39.45	
	49	77.63	
	50	57.27	
	51	78.90	
	52	143.80	
	53	59.81	
	54	1,865.58	
	55	64.90	
	58	165.43	
			$11,117.15

Capital School Fund.

Showing name of Borrower, Amount Loaned and Balance on Hand.

Applegate, Edith	$ 933.75
Armstrong, R. M.	1,000.00
Baudendistel, A.	3,000.00
Brannan, J. H.	400.00
Brannan, J. H.	717.61
Brannan, J. H.	500.00
Berendes, Wm.	5,400.00
Clark, Serelda E.	400.00
Dickey, H. K.	1,000.00
Eachus, A. V.	400.00
Felden, Frank	1,000.00
Gangle, John	3,000.00
Harris, C. E.	400.00
Harris, R. P.	1,100.00
Hahn, C. F.	1,600.00
Higgins, R.	650.00
Jansen Gerhardt	1,000.00
King, W. E.	300.00
Lancaster, Ellen	200.00
Lyne, E. S.	600.00
Murphy, F. M.	400.00
McLain, Lora F.	200.00
McClanahan, L. K.	600.00
Miller, J. A.	900.00
Smith, W. B.	800.00
Seitman, Bernard	2,000.00
Slinkard, A. L.	600.00
Shores, Geo. M.	1,000.00
Schetter, Otto	700.00
Scherer, Matilda	175.00
Steck, R. F.	1,200.00
Schriefer, A. & D.	1,000.00
Todd, M. E.	600.00
Taylor, R. A.	100.00
Tirmenstein, M. G.	1,770.00
Urhahn, Jacob	500.00
Unnerstall, Wm.	200.00
Wade, S. J.	3,000.00
Watson, W. H. & Wife	1,200.00
	$40,546.36
By Balance on Hand	55.34
	$40,601.70

TOWNSHIP SCHOOL LOANS

TWP & Range	Name	Amount Loaned	On Hand	Total
26-13 & 14	J. Ed Green	$ 800.00	$ 9.82	$ 809.82
26-14	D. P. Bailey	574.21		574.21
27-13	A. A. Evans	500.00		
27-14	W. H. Stubbs	100.00	9.52	1,009.52
	C. D. Cpmmins	552.00	100.00	1,152.00
27-14	W. H. Stubbs	100.00	9.52	1,009.52
	C. A. Smiley	900.00		
27-15	C. A. Smiley	600.00	234.65	834.65
28-15	D. P. Bailey	225.79		
	Roscoe Sutton	350.00		
	C. D. Cummins	248.00		
	Chris Horrell	150.00	97.83	1,071.62
29-13	W. H. Stubbs	466.28		
	Tom Simmons	600.00	66.85	1,133.13
29-14	J. H. Brannan	540.19	685.00	1,225.19
30-14	Edith Applegate	530.00		
	J. H. Brannon	892.20		1,422.20
28-12	Chris Horrell	850.00	36.30	886.30
28-14	Edith Applegate	536.25		
	Wm. Unnerstall	400.00		936.25
28-15	M. G. Tirmenstein	230.00	607.91	837.91
		$10.044.92	$1,847.88	$11,892.80

Loans from Building Funds of School Districts.

District No. 15		
Charles M. Beardslee	$1000.00	
John Schmidt	1000.00	
John Gangle	800.00	$2,800.00
Amount Capital School Fund loaned		$40,546.36
Amount of Township School Fund loaned		10,044.92
On Hand In Capital School Fund		55.34
On Hand In Township School Fund		1,847.88
		$52,494.50
Amount Loaned from Districts		2,800.00
Total		$55,294.50

MONEY FOR SUPPORT OF PUBLIC SCHOOLS

Showing money received and expended for support of County Public Schools for the fiscal years, from July 1st, 1926 to July 1st, 1927.

July 1st, 1926, Balance on hand ..... $ 83,150.38

TEACHERS FUND

State fund by Auditor's warrant in 1926	$ 30,727.63	
Interest from County Fund, 1926	4,556.89	
Interest from Township fund 1926	599.77	
Interest from permanent and Special Districts, 1926	4,606.99	
Railroad Taxes	28,182.95	
Current District Taxes, Back Taxes and Tuition	123,266.89	191,941.12

INCIDENTAL FUND

Direct Taxes	$ 63,961.15	
Foreign Insurance (Free Text Book)	13,945.76	77,906.91

BUILDING FUND

Railroad Taxes	13,073.08	
Sale of Bonds and Property	9,500.00	
Current and Back Taxes (Bulding)	40,707.94	
Interest and Sinking	59,385.84	122,666.86
Total Receipts		$475,665.27

EXPENDITURES

For Teachers Salary	$199,718.35
For incidental expenses	83,595.67
For building purposes	109,057.85
Total	$392,371.87
By Cash on Hand July 1st, 1927	83,293.40

Statement of Delinquent Taxes

	State	County	Road	Sp. Road	Ct H	City	R. Bond	Total
	$5,056.53	$15,559.38	$1,944.02	$ 9,724.62	$ 779.83		$ 7,779.73	$ 93,955.31
Real Estate for 1927		1,497.20	187.15	935.65	77.85		748.70	9,240.50
Personal for 1927	486.66							
Railroad, Telg. & Telep.	6.79	20.89	2.61	13.05	1.04	532.04	10.45	656.28
Income Tax Delinquent	220.96							220.96
Real Est., 1926 & Prior yr.	3,385.23	11,649.01	1,466.09	7,296.22	728.81		5,864.32	75,945.79
Delinquent Merchants Tax		46.00	5.75	28.75	2.27		23.00	310.23
Total Delinquent Taxes	$9,956.17	$28,772.48	$3,605.62	$17,998.29	$1,589.80	$532.04	$14,426.20	$180,335.07
								$180,335.07
Total Delinquent Taxes								21,151.04
Delinquent Drainage & Levee 1927								25,651.33
Delinquent Drainage & Levee 1926 & Prior years								$227,137.44
Total Delinquent Taxes								

STATE OF MISSOURI)
) ss.
COUNTY OF SCOTT)

I, J. Sherwood Smith, Clerk of the County Court, for and within the County and State aforesaid, hereby certify the above and foregoing to be a full and complete copy of statement of receipts and expenditures of the said County of Scott, as made by order of the County Court, and approved by the County court, at its regular May Term, showing Receipts and Expenditures from April 1st, 1927 to March 31st, 1928.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the Seal of the County Court. Done at office in Benton, Missouri, this 7th day of June ,1928.

(SEAL)

J. Sherwood Smith,
County Clerk.



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Think thirty minutes every morning after breakfast of things you have to be glad over. Sit this half hour in a sun bath of cheer. Shut out all thoughts that hurt, from bad liver to false friends.—Doctor Crane.

DELECTABLE DISHES



Try serving the good old wholesome onion in a different way. The following is quite different:

Onion Dumplings.—Cook large white onions until tender, drain and scoop out the centers, chop some pieces of cooked ham, add a few bread crumbs and enough mushroom catsup to moisten and fill this stuffing into the onions. Make a mixture as for baked dumplings, cut into squares, put an onion into each, wrap and pinch the edges and bake until the dumpling is brown: Serve with a tomato sauce.

Fried Parsnips.—For those who do not care for sweet vegetables this dish is most acceptable to those who enjoy parsnips. Slice in shoe-string sized pieces, or short lengths, keeping the pieces even in size, wash well and use just the water that clings to them from the washing. Place over an even heat in a heavy aluminum pan with two tablespoonfuls of butter to a pint of the parsnips. Stir often while cooking and toward the last remove to lower heat. Brown well, season with salt and serve. The flavor of the vegetable is preserved in this manner of cooking and is particularly delectable.

Pot Roasted Chicken.—There should be cherished in every family a heavy iron Scotch kettle with an iron cover. One may cook coarse cuts of beef so that they melt in the mouth, in such a utensil. Place a spoonful of butter and lard in the kettle, add the chicken cut up or if small, in halves; cover and cook slowly, adding a few drops of water as it dries and perhaps a little more butter. When thoroughly brown add a cupful of boiling water and simmer until tender. To make the gravy remove the chicken and thicken the sauce with flour. When of the required thickness add one-half cupful of cream and a bit of brown coloring if the flour was not well browned. Serve the chicken with the gravy.

Nellie Maxwell

Famous Mining Strikes

By THOMAS R. STEWARD

WNU Service

How We Get Aluminum

ONE who was told that Arkansas was the principal source of bauxite in the United States would probably yawn wearily and ask, "what of it?" But if told that the same state produced most of the ore on which the rich and swiftly-growing aluminum industry is based, he would show much keener interest. Little has been written about the methods of producing aluminum, so that, while it is a commonplace in every household in the form of pans, kettles, coffee-pots and cups, most people take it for granted or, possibly, assume that it is a mixture of other metals.

Aluminum, known in British countries as aluminium, was first produced in the United States in 1883, although in that year only 83 pounds was produced. But in 1890 an inventor by the name of Hall perfected a process for extracting metallic aluminum from its ores, and so laid the basis for a swiftly-growing industry. The patents were obtained by the Pittsburgh Reduction company, forerunner of the Aluminum Company of America. By 1901 the United States was producing 8,248 metric tons of this metal, while in 1918, at the peak of war needs for copper and other metals which aluminum can replace, it reached 102,000 metric tons. As the war demand eased off, this volume dropped again to about 52,000 tons in 1922.

Bauxite, from which aluminum is made, occurs in Tennessee, Alabama and Georgia, as well as in Arkansas in the United States, and there also are considerable quantities of it in South America.

Aluminum is known chiefly for its excellence as a conductor of heat or electricity and for its rust-resistant qualities.

Latterly, however, aluminum has found its greatest usefulness in automobile body construction, where its lightness, together with a considerable strength, gives it marked importance as less weight and consequent higher mileage per gallon are sought by motor car manufacturers. It can only be used, however, at points where little or no stress need be resisted, as it has far less toughness than steel.

One of the most interesting facts about aluminum is that ordinary clay, such as we all see almost daily, is an oxide rich in aluminum, but is an "ore" that is useless outside the laboratory, as no method of reducing it to metal has as yet been found that was also cheap enough to warrant commercial exploitation.

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